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OF THE

AUDITOR,

OF THE

State of West Virginia,

FOR THE YEAR 1867.

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THE STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA,
AUDITOR'S OFFICE,
WHEELING, December 20, 1867.

To his Excellency A. I. BOREMAN,

Governor of West Virginia.

SIR: I have the honor of transmitting herewith to your Excellency my Annual Report to the Legislature, with an abstract of the Registry of Births, Deaths and Marriages for the year 1866, compiled from the returns to this office.

I am Very Respectfully,

Your Obedient Servant,

J. M. MCWHORTER,

Auditor.

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TABLE A.

The following is a Summary of the Financial Transactions of this Department for the Fiscal Year ending September 30th, 1867:

Balance remaining in the Treasury, October 1st, 1866	$ 34,793 49
Receipts from all sources during the year	588,784 15
	$623,577 64
Disbursements during the same period	618,681 75
Balance remaining in the Treasury, October 1st, 1867	$ 4,895 89

The foregoing amounts include the Receipts and Disbursements on account of the General or Distributable School Fund and the Irreducible School Fund, shown by the following abstracts:

Remaining to the credit of the General School Fund, October 1st, 1866	$ 37,206 86
Receipts on account of same during the year	174,811 60
	$212,018 46
Dusbursements during the same period	155,031 44
	$ 56,987 02
Less this amount for interest on U. S. P. R. R. Bonds deducted from above balance and credited to the Irreducible School Fund (unexpended)	330 00
Balance to credit of General School Fund, Oct. 1st, 1867	$ 56,657 02

Free or Irreducible School Fund.

Remaining to the credit of said Fund, October 1st, 1866	2,681 47
Receipts on account of the same during the year	20,127 22
Interest accrued on the several monthly receipts, from April 30th, 1866, to September 1st, 1867, (unexpended)	510 67
Interest on U. S. P. R. R. Bonds, (unexpended)	330 00
	$ 23,649 36
Less this amount disbursed during the year	150 78
Balance to credit of said Fund, October 1st, 1867	$ 23 498 58

TABLE B.

QUARTERLY BALANCE SHEET OF THE STATE OF THE TREASURY.

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Balance remaining in the Treasury October 1, 1866	$ 34,793 49	By Auditor's Warrants issued in October, 1866	$38,389 93
To receipts during the month of October, "	18,051 98	" " " " November, "	32,762 62
" " " " November, "	51,638 69	" " " " December, "	45,359 96
" " " " December, "	188,885 69	" balance carried down	176,857 34
	$293,369 85		$293,369 85
To balance brought down	$176,857 34	By Auditor's Warrants issued in January, 1867	$ 44,775 88
" receipts during the month of January, 1867	94,126 14	" " " " February, "	28,889 95
" " " " February, "	16,710 94	" " " " March, "	33,203 48
" " " " March, "	45,005 01	" balance carried down	225,830 12
	$332,699 43		$332,699 43
To balance brought down	$225,830 12	By Auditor's Warrants issued in April, 1867	$ 88,028 68
" receipts during the month of April, 1867	23,685 92	" " " " May, "	76,958 24
" " " " May, "	32,896 47	" " " " June, "	51,153 45
" " " " June, "	17,503 11	" balance carried down	83,775 25
	$299,915 62		$299,915 62
To balance brought down	$ 83,775 25	By Auditor's Warrants issued in July, 1867	$ 94,719 52
" receipts during the month of July, 1867	30,710 24	" " " " August, "	49,409 62
" " " " August, "	37,974 50	" " " " Sept., "	35,030 42
" " " " Sept., "	31,595 46	" balance carried down	4,895 89
	$184,055 45		$184,055 45
To balance remaining in Treasury September 30, 1867	$4,895 89		

TABLE C.

ABSTRACT of Disbursements at the Treasury during the Fiscal Year ending September 30th, 1867.

By amount paid on account of General School Fund	$155,031 44
Amount paid on account of Free School Fund	150 78
Salraies of Judges of Supreme Court of Appeals and of Circuit Courts	28,108 24
Salary of Clerk of Supreme Court of Appeals	1.000 00
Salary of Clerk of Supreme Court of Appeals, unpaid for 1866	250 00
Expenses of Lunatics confined in Jails, &c	6,776 30
Criminal Charges	42,485 71
Current Expenses of the West Virginia Hospital for the Insane	18,000 00
Amount paid on construction of same	90,000 00
Support of Lunatics confined in the Asylums for the Insane at Williamsburg and Staunton, Va	24,912 00
Public Printing	12,173 78
Contingent Expenses of Courts	3,621 88
Refunding taxes erroneously assessed	30 48
Refunding overpaid taxes, and payment of Sheriffs' commissions	6,672 21
Expenses of Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages	618 78
Expenses of Registration of Voters	16,431 54
Militia Claims allowed by Regimental Courts	735 72
Amount paid Assessors of the Revenue under Act of February 25th, 1864	400 00
Expenses of the Legislature of 1867	23,321 27
Salary of the Governor	2,000 00
" " Auditor	1,500 00
" " Treasurer, balance of 1866 unpaid	350 00
" " Treasurer for 1867	1,400 00
" " Secretary of the State	1,300 00
" " Attornay General	1,000 00
" " Adjutant General	1,379 24
" " Vaccine Agent	50 00
Salary of the Reporter of Supreme Court of Appeals, due for 1866	250 00
Salary of the Reporter of Supreme Court of Appeals,	1,000 00
Civil Contingent Fund	8,918 07
Contingent Expenses of Auditor's Office	1,282 98
" " Q. M. General's Office, 4 mo's,	922 02
" " Office of the Sec'y of the State,	1,244 83
" " Treasurer's Office	252 27
Clerk of the House of Delegates as keeper of the Rolls,	300 00
Salary of the Quarter Master General, balance of 1866,	108 33
Expenses of Board of Claims	250 00
Amount of appropriation to Antietam National Cemetery	672 40

TABLE C—*Continued.*

By Costs incurred by Supervisors and Inspectors of Elections in defending suits	$ 450 00
Salary of Clerk in Adjutant General's Office	1,000 00
" " First Clerk in Auditor's Office	1.200 00
" " Second Clerk in Auditor's Office	1,000 00
" " Treasurer's Clerk	400 00
" " Janitor and Guard of Executive Offices	1,000 00
Expenses of Commissioners of West Virginia in conference with Commissioners of Virginia on Charter of Covington and Ohio Railroad Company	408 68
Expenses of the Commissioners for the Revaluation of Lands	17,799 30
Rent of Executive Mansion	750 00
Rent of Linsley Institute, including Repairs	1,158 74
Auditor, for Rent of House	600 00
Secretary of the State, for Rent of House	600 00
Treasurer, for Rent of House due for 1866	150 00
" " " " 1867	400 00
Adjutant General, for Rent of House	400 00
Contingent Expenses of the Adjutant General's Office,	1,329 69
The Penitentiary at Moundsville	64,180 67
Support of Convicts in Penitentiary	14,911 47
Guards for Penitentiary and expenses of Prison Proper	6,861 69
Refunding Capitation Tax under Act of Feb. 14, 1864.	3,565 94
Printing Report of Daniel Lamb	220 00
Amount of appropriation for procuring Books for State Library	2,000 00
Amount on account of appropriation for Dan'l Lamb, to employ a Clerk	22 50
Relief of Leonard Lamb	595 02
Amount paid on appropriation for procuring and distributing Soldiers' Medals	25,418 51
Record Clerk in Adjutant General's Office	749 99
Amount paid on account of appropriation for serving notices, summoning witnesses, &c., under Registration Act of 1866	237 33
Balance of printing 1st volume of Report of Supreme Court of Appeals	785 00
Amount paid on appropriation to pay Counsel in suit of Virginia *vs.* West Virginia	1,600 00
Ohio County, for Rent of Jail, as per Act of February 28th, 1867	2,673 86
Relief of Edward Parish	1,100 00
" " Jacob B. Reger	415 83
Expenses of Board of Visitors of Agricultural College,	419 25
Relief of Edith Martin	45 64
" " Braxton county, as per Act of Feb. 27, 1867,	1,000 00
" " Henry J. Whitehouse, " " 28, 1867,	49 50
" " B. S. Smithers, " " 27, 1867,	114 34

TABLE C—*Continued.*

By Relief of James G. West, as per Act of Feb. 4, 1863, $	1,440 30
Regency of West Virginia Normal School	5,000 00
Expenses of Commissioners appointed under chap. 93, Acts of 1867	475 60
Board of Equalization of the Assessment of Land	1,078 69
Relief of Charles B. Hedges	16 94
West Virginia State Normal School	23 75
Military Claims audited by Board of Claims	133 25
Total,	$618,681 75

TABLE D.

ABSTRACT of Receipts at the Treasury from all sources during the Fiscal Year, ending September 30, 1867.

To balance remaining in the Treasury, October 1, 1866,	$34,793 49
Amount received for State Tax, on Real and personal property for the year 1861,	1,147 85
Amount received for State Tax, on Real and personal property for the year 1862,	4,540 99
Amount received for State Tax, on Real and personal property for the year 1863,	3,180 28
Amount received for State Tax, on Real and personal property for the year 1864,	8,327 81
Amount received for State Tax, on Real and personal property for the year 1865,	31,438 41
Amount received for State Tax, on Real and personal property for the year 1866,	261,781 17
Amount received for State Tax, on Real and personal property for the year 1867,	15,262 24
Am't rec'd for School Tax and Capitations for year 1864,	2,943 69
" " " " " 1865,	21,070 69
" " " " " 1866,	129,102 84
" " " " " 1867,	22 28
Amount received for License Tax for years 1861 to 1865, inclusive,	4,998 52
Amount received for License Tax for the year 1866,	26,254 57
" " " " " 1867,	23,298 75
Amount received for tax on Writs, Deeds and Seals for the years 1861, '62 and '63,	174 43
Amount received for printed Records, &c., from Clerk of Supreme Court of Appeals,	680 36

TABLE D—*Continued.*

To Amount received from Secretary of State on State Seals, sale of Acts, &c.,	$ 715 05
Amount received for tax on premiums of Insurance for 1866 and 1867,	1,424 45
Amount received for tax on Gross receipts of Express Companies,	608 07
Amount received from sales of Delinquent Lands for the years 1860 to 1866,	7,424 78
Amount received for redemption of Delinquent Lands for the years 1860 to 1866,	4,601 36
Amount received for Fines imposed by Courts for the years 1861 to 1867,	8,337 91
Amount received for Fines imposed by Justices for the years 1861 to 1867,	486 35
Amount received for Jury costs paid into courts,	309 15
" " Militia Fines collectable in the years 1862 to 1866,	1,691 40
Amount received from S. P. Hildreth, being balance unexpended in purchase of United States bonds,	91 08
Amount received from Superintendent of Free Schools for Professional certificate,	5 00
Amount received on Judgment in Ohio County Circuit Court in suit of State *vs* B. F. Hamilton,	247 00
Amount received on sale of captured Rebel property,	36 42
Amount received on sale of property by Board of Public Works,	50 00
Amount unexpended in payment of Militia Claims,	918 00
Amount refunded, being overdrawn by Seargant-at-Arms,	42 00
Amount received from Board of Public Works in suit *vs* B. & O. R. R. Co.,	3,944 81
Amount refunded by the United States on transportation of Lunatics to Washington,	160 00
Amount received for interest on U. S. P. R. R. bonds,	330 00
Amount received for dividends and interest on Bank Stock and Government securities on ac't of school fund,	23,136 44
	$623,577 64
By amount of Disbursements as per Table C,	618,681 75
Balance remaining in the Treasury October 1, 1867,	$4,895 89

TABLE E.

STATEMENT, Showing the Appropriations for the Fiscal Year ending September 30, 1867, and the Disbursements thereon for the same period.

FOR WHAT PURPOSE APPROPRIATED.	Amount of Appropriation.	Am't. Disbursed.	Am't. Disbursed in excess of Appropriation.	Balance Unexpended.
For Public Printing	$10,000 00	$12,173 78	$ 2,173 78	----------
Lunatics confined in Jails, &c	5,000	6,776 30	1,776 30	----------
Criminal Charges	28,000	42,485 71	14,485 71	----------
Contingent Expenses of Courts	3,500	3,621 88	121 88	----------
Civil Contingent Fund	10,000	8,918 07	----------	1,081 93
Militia Claims allowed by Regimental Courts	2,000	735 72	----------	1,264 28
Contingent Expenses of Auditor's Office	2,000	1,282 98	----------	717 02
Salary of Second Clerk in Auditor's Office	1,000	1,000	----------	----------
Salaries of Judges of Supreme Court of Appeals and of Circuit Courts	28,000	28,108 24	108 24	----------
Contingent Expenses of Quarter-Master General's Office	922 02	922 02	----------	----------
Contingent Expenses of Office of the Secretary of State	1,300	1,244 83	----------	55 17
Guards for Penitentiary and Expenses of Prison Proper	10,000	6,861 69	----------	3,138 31
Penitentiary, including balance of appropriation of 1866	90,000	64,180 67	----------	25,819 33
Support of Convicts in Penitentiary	15,000	14,911 47	----------	88 53
Salary of Attorney General	1,000	1,000	----------	----------
Expenses of the Legislature of 1867	25,000	23,321 27	----------	1,678 73
Assessors appointed under act of February 25th, 1864	400	400	----------	----------
Salary of Vaccine Agent	100	50	----------	50
Taxes erroneously assessed	1,000	30 48	----------	969 52
Salary of Reporter of the Supreme Court of Appeals	1,000	1,000	----------	----------
Salary of Reporter of the Supreme Court of Appeals, balance due from 1866	250	250	----------	----------

TABLE E.—*Continued.*

STATEMENT, Showing the Appropriations for the Fiscal Year ending September 30, 1867, and the Disbursements thereon for the same period.

FOR WHAT PURPOSE APPROPRIATED.	Amount of Appropriation.	Am't. Disbursed.	Am't. Disbursed in excess of Appropriation.	Balance Unexpended.
For Current Expenses of the West Va. Hospital for the Insane	$26,000 00	$18,000	----------	$ 8,000
Construction of the West Va. Hospital for the Insane	140,000	90,000	----------	50,000
Expenses of the Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages	1,200	618 78	----------	581 22
Contingent Expenses of the Treasurer's Office	400	252 27	----------	147 73
Clerk of the House of Delegates as Keeper of the Rolls	300	300	----------	----------
Secretary of State for Rent of House	600	600	----------	----------
Military Claims, audited by the Board of Claims	133 25	133 25	----------	----------
Auditor for Rent of House	600	600	----------	----------
Refunding Over-paid Taxes and payment of Sheriff's Commissions	6,000	6,672 21	672 21	----------
Expenses of Registration of Voters	15,000	16,431 54	1,431 54	----------
Support of Lunatics in the Asylums of Williamsburg and Staunton, Virginia	23,700	24,912	1,212	----------
Salary of the Quarter-Master General, (one month)	108 33	108 33	----------	----------
Salary of Clerk in Adjutant General's Office	1,000	1,000	----------	----------
Salary of Adjutant General	1,500	1,379 24	----------	120 76
Expenses of Board of Claims	250	250	----------	----------
Salary of the Treasurer of the State, due for 1866	350	350	----------	----------
Salary of the Treasurer of the State, due for 1867	1,400	1,400	----------	----------
Salary of the Secretary of the State	1,300	1,300	----------	----------
Salary of the Auditor	1,500	1,500	----------	----------
Salary of First Clerk in the Auditor's Office	1,200	1,200	----------	----------
Salary of Janitor and Guard of Executive Offices	1,000	1,000	----------	----------

TABLE E.—*Continued.*

STATEMENT, Showing the Appropriations for the Fiscal Year ending September 30, 1867, and the Disbursements thereon for the same period.

FOR WHAT PURPOSE APPROPRIATED,	Amount of Appropriation.	Am't. Disbursed.	Am't. Disbursed in excess of Appropriation.	Balance Unexpended.
For Salary of Treasurer's Clerk	$ 400	$ 400		
Adjutant General for Rent of House	400	400		
Soldiers' National Cemetery at Antietam	672 40	672 40		
Treasurer for Rent of House	400	400		
Treasurer for Rent of House, balance due for 1866	150	150		
Costs incurred by Supervisors and Inspectors of Elections	1,000	450		550 00
Commissioners of West Virginia on Charter of Covington & Ohio Railroad		408 68		
Expenses of the Re-valuations of Lands	16,000	17,799 30	1,799 30	
Contingent Expenses of Adjutant General's Office	2,000	1,329 69		670 31
Rent of Executive Mansion	750	750		
Rent of Linsley Institute	1,451 42	1,158 74		292 68
Refunding Capitation Tax, under act of February 14th, 1864	3,565 94	3,565 94		
Printing Report of Daniel Lamb	220	220		
Procuring Books for State Law Library	2,000	2,000		
Daniel Lamb to employ Clerk	22 50	22 50		
Relief of Leonard Lamb	595 02	595 02		
Procuring and Distributing Soldiers' Medals	28,000 00	25,418 51		2,581 49
Record Clerk in Adjutant General's Office	1,000	749 99		250 01
Costs of serving Notices, Summoning Witnesses, &c., under Reg. act of 1866	1,000	237 33		762 67
Printing Report of Supreme Court of Appeals	785	785		
Suit of Virginia, *versus* West Virginia	10,000	1,600		8,400

TABLE E.—*Continued.*

STATEMENT, Showing the Appropriations for the Fiscal Year ending September 30, 1867, and the Disbursements thereon for the same period.

FOR WHAT PURPOSE APPROPRIATED.	Amount of Appropriation.	Am't. Disbursed.	Am't. Disbursed in excess of Appropriation.	Balance Unexpended.
For Ohio County for Rent of Jail	$ 2,673 86	$ 2,673 86		
Relief of Edward Parish, order Board of Public Works, act of March 5, 1858	1,100	1,100		
Relief of James G. West, order Board of Public Works, under act February 4, 1863	1,440 30	1,440 30		
Relief of J. B. Reger	415 83	415 83		
Expenses of Board of Visitors of Agricultural College	Indefinite.	419 25		
Relief of Edith Martin, act of February 27, 1867	45 64	45 64		
Relief of Braxton County, act of February 27, 1867	1,000	1,000		
Relief of Henry J. Whitehouse, act of February 28, 1866	49 50	49 50		
Relief of B. S. Smithers, act of February 27, 1867	114 34	114 34		
Regency of West Virginia Normal School, (Fairmont,)	5,000	5,000		
Expenses of Commissioners appointed under provisions of Chapter 93, Acts of 1867	Indefinite.	475 60		
Pay and Expenses of Board of Equalization of Lands	Indefinite.	1,078 69		
Relief of Charles P. Hedges, act of February 26, 1867	16 94	16 94		
Expenses of the Board of Regents of the State Normal School	Indefinite.	23 75		
Salary of the Clerk of Supreme Court of Appeals	1,000	1,000		
Salary of the Clerk of Supreme Court of Appeals, due for 1866	250	250		
Salary of the Governor	2,000	2,000		
Amount Disbursed on account of General School Fund		155,031 44		
Amount Disbursed on account of Free School Fund		150 78		

FROM the abstracts of the receipts at the Treasury during the year, it will be seen that they were considerably less than was estimated in my last Annual Report. It is probable it was a full estimate, had payment been made of all money calculated upon; but none of the taxes assessed upon the property of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad and its branches, were paid in; neither were the taxes then being assessed in Greenbrier County for the years 1865 and 1866, paid; both of which were embraced in the calculation.

In Table E, exhibiting the appropriations made by the last Legislature, the amount paid on the same, also the amount due or overpaid thereon, are included balances on some of the appropriations of the preceding year remaining unpaid at the beginning, but were paid during the first quarter of the last fiscal year.

The disbursements on account of criminal charges, include the costs of supporting convicts for the first quarter of the year, as no account was opened for support of convicts until January 1st, 1867. Apart from what was paid for support of convicts, out of appropriation for criminal charges, the demands upon the Treasury on account of said appropriation, exceeded considerably what was estimated. The increase of charges on this account is attributable to two causes: first, to an increase in the allowance to witnesses', jurors' and jailors' fees; and second, crime seems to be largely on the increase. Owing to the large appropriations made for the last two years, in payment of Military Claims and for the construction of Public Buildings in course of erection, a considerable portion of which will be paid during the current year, there will be but a small surplus over the ordinary charges upon the Treasury.

TABLE F.

The following estimate of the receipts and disbursements at the Treasury during the current year ending September 30th, 1868, will approximate the actual transactions:

Balance in Treasury, Oct, 1st, 1867	$ 4,895 89	
Estimated receipts from all sources during the year	624,860 00	$629,755 89
Of the foregoing sum it is estimated that there will be passed to the credit of the Free or Irreducible School Fund	15,000 00	
And to the credit of the General or Distributable School Fund	196,660 00	
Balance due on General School Fund apportioned April 1, 1867	24,514 30	
Amount standing to the credit of the Free School Fund	23,649 36	$259,823 66
Leaving for State purposes		$369,932 23
Balance due on appropriations for Hospital for the Insane, and Penitentiary, undrawn at end of the year	75,819 33	
Probable charges upon the Treasury as shown by Estimate	274,000 00	$349,819 33
Leaving for other purposes a balance of		$ 20,112 90
To this may be added the amount standing to the credit of the Free School Fund, with what is expected to accrue to the credit of said fund, which, I presume, may be used by payment of the interest thereon		38,649 36
Total sum that may be used, if School Fund is not otherwise invested		$ 58,762 26

The following is an estimate of the probable charges upon the Treasury during the current year:

For Expenses of the Legislature	25,000 00
Rent of Linsley Institute, with repairs	1,100 00
Salaries of Judges of Supreme Court of Appeals and Judges of Circuit Courts, and Mileage	28,000 00
Salary of Clerk of Supreme Court of Appeals	1,000 00
Salary of Reporter of Supreme Court of Appeals	1,000 00
Contingent Expenses of Courts	3,700 00
Criminal Charges	35,000 00

For Support of Convicts in Penitentiary	20,000 00	
Current Expenses of Hospital for Insane	35,000 00	
Guards and Expenses of Penitentiary	10,000 00	
Lunatics in Jails and elsewhere than in the Hospital	2,000 00	
Salaries of Executive Officers, Rent of Mansion, &c	10,450 00	
Civil Contingent Fund	10,000 00	
Contingent Expenses of Auditor's Office	2,000 00	
Contingent Expenses of Office Secretary of State, including Clerk hire	1,300 00	
Contingent Expenses Treasurer's Office	300 00	
Contingent Expenses Adj't Genl's Office	1,500 00	
Salary of Clerk's in Auditor's Office	2,200 00	
Salary of Clerk in Adj't Genl's Office	1,000 00	
Salary of Clerk in Treasurer's Office	400 00	
Salary of Vaccine Agent	100 00	
Salary of Janitor and Guard of Executive Offices	1,000 00	
Public Printing	15,000 00	
Clerk of the House of Delegates, as Keeper of the Rolls	300 00	
Militia Claims allowed by Regimental Courts	1,500 00	
Expenses of Registering Births, Deaths and Marriages	1,200 00	
Refunding Capitation Tax under Act of Feb. 14, 1865	5,000 00	
Refunding over-paid Taxes, and Payment of Sheriff's Commissions	6,000 00	
Refunding Erroneous Assessments	1,000 00	
Expenses and pay of Board of Equalization of Land	8,000 00	
Support of Lunatics in Insane Asylums in Virginia	13,850 00	
Expenses of Registering Voters	10,000 00	
State Normal School, under Act of Feb. 27, 1867	20,000 00	$274,000 00
Balance Unexpended on Appropriation for Construction of Hospital for Insane	$ 50,000 00	
Balance Unexpended on Appropriation for Penitentiary	25,819 33	75,819 33
		$349,819 33

TABLE G.

STATEMENT, Exhibiting the Receipts and Disbursements at the Treasury during the Year on account of the General or Distributable School Fund.

To amount paid on account of apportionment to the different counties, as per Statement I	$150,881 00	By balance due General School Fund, October 1, 1866	$ 37,206 86
To Salary of W. R. White, State Superintendent	1,500 00	By amount of School Tax on Real and Personal Property, and Capitations, for year 1864	2,943 69
To paid Contingent Expenses of Office of State Superintendent for Postage	50 00	By amount of School Tax on Real and Personal Property, and Capitations, for year 1865	21,070 69
To amount paid Mendel for Office Furniture	30 00	By amount of School Tax on Real and Psrsonal Property, and Capitations, for year 1866	129,102 84
To Traveling and Contingent Expenses of State Superintendent	107 49	By amount of School Tax on Real and Personal Property, and Capitations, for year 1867	22 28
To amount paid for Printing	960 09	By amount received on account of Fines imposed by Courts	8,337 91
To amount paid A. Haymond, Commission on Fines collected by him as Clerk of Circuit Court	9 17	By amount received on account of Fines imposed by Justices	486 35
To amount of Overpaid Taxes refunded	534 74	By amount received on account of Militia Fines	1,691 40
To amount paid Treasurer of Pocahontas County for apportionment of School Tax for 1866	746 33	By amount received from the State Superintendent of Schools, for Professional Certificate	5 00
To amount paid Treasurer of Logan County for apportionment of School Tax for 1866	212 62	By amount of Dividends received on Bank Stock held by Board of School Fund	11,151 44
To this amount passed to the credit of Free School Fund, being interest on U. S. Pacific Railroad Bonds, (unexpended,)	330 00		
To balance due General School Fund, October 1	56,657 02		
	$212,018 46		$212,018 46
		By balance to credit of Gen'l School Fund, Oct. 1, 1867	56,657 02

TABLE H.

STATEMENT Showing the Receipts and Disbursements at the Treasury on Account of the Irreducible School Fund.

To Auditor's Warrants issued during the year, by order of the Board of School Fund	$ 150 78	By Balance due the Irreducible School Fund, October 1st, 1866	$ 2,681 47
To Balance due Free or Irreducible School Fund, September 30th, 1867	23,498 58	By Amount received on Sales and Redemption of Delinquent Lands, for the year ending September 30th, 1867	12,026 14
		By Dividend of Stock in the North Western Bank of Virginia	8,010 00
		By Amount received from S. P. Hildreth, being balance unexpended in purchase of United States Bonds	91 08
		By Amount of Interest accrued on the several monthly receipts from April 30th, 1866, to September 1st, 1867, (unexpended,)	510 67
		By Interest on United States Pacific Railroad Bonds, (unexpended,)	330 00
	$ 23,649 36		$ 23,649 36
		By Balance due October 1st, 1867	$ 23,498 58

TABLE I.

Showing the Apportionment of the General School Fund to each County, April 1, 1867, the Amount Disbursed thereon, and the Balance remaining unpaid at the end of the Fiscal Year 1867

COUNTY.	Apportionment for 1867.	Amount Disbursed.	Remaining Unpaid September 30th, 1867.
Barbour	$ 4,065 74	$ 4,065 72	$ 02
Berkeley	4,462 55	3,719 38	743 17
Boone	2,104 66	2,104 23	43
Braxton	4,139 27	4,139 16	11
Brooke	1,844 90	1,844 90	.....
Cabell	3,366 36	2,180 42	1,185 94
Calhoun	1,120 30	1,120 30	.....
Clay	1,274 03	1,274 02	01
Doddridge	2,499 28	2,499 11	17
Fayette	4,162 68	4,162 19	49
Gilmer	1,467 78	1,467 78	.....
Grant	1,510 54	783 03	727 51
Greenbrier	3,290 30	3,290 30	.....
Hancock	1,608 10	1,598 10	10 00
Hampshire	3,329 22	2,348 07	981 15
Hardy	3,550 47	3,550 46	01
Harrison	6,089 30	5,495 82	593 48
Jackson	4,150 39	4,150 39	.....
Jefferson	4,667 56	4,667 56	.....
Kanawha	10,873 09	10,870 01	3 08
Lewis	3,865 15	3,865 12	03
Logan	2,361 99	699 66	1,662 33
Marion	5,209 00	5,209 00	.....
Marshall	5,502 80	663 52	4,839 28
Mason	5,452 40	5,452 37	03
Mercer	3,640 52	3,290 50	350 02
Mineral	1,865 60	1,559 43	306 17
Monongalia	5,187 10	5,187 10	.....
Monroe	6,420 17	200 00	6,220 17
Morgan	1,711 14	1,710 96	18
McDowell	866 80	866 80	.....
Nicholas	3,255 86	2,802 36	453 50
Ohio, (Country District,)	2,999 15	2,999 14	01
Pendleton	4,276 20	1,345 42	2,930 78
Pleasants	1,345 00	425 48	919 52
Pocahontas	1,613 07	1,289 67	323 40
Preston	4,961 30	4,961 11	19
Putnam	2,496 00	1,884 15	611 85
Raleigh	2,055 28	1,413 85	641 43
Randolph	1,902 96	1,520 39	382 57
Ritchie	3,182 20	3,182 20	.....
Roane	2,411 60	2,411 60	.....
Taylor	3,105 50	3,105 43	07
Tyler	2,769 00	2,711 50	57 50
Tucker	733 35	733 35	.....
Upshur	3,083 50	3,083 56	.....
Wayne	4,021 76	4,021 76	.....
Webster	475 38	155 45	319 93
Wetzel	3,068 20	3,068 20	.....
Wirt	1,598 20	1,348 55	249 65
Wood	6212 05	6,212 03	02
Wyoming	1,792 94	1,792 84	10
Wheeling	6,377 55	6,377 55	.....
Total	$ 175,395 24	$ 150,881 00	$ 24,514 30

It is estimated that there will be in the Treasury on the 1st day of April next, for apportionment among the several counties, the sum of $180,000.

UNDER the law as it stands, this Department has no legal means of placing a check against improper drafts upon the Treasury, in favor of any County, on account of the apportionment of the General or Distributable School Fund.

I took the precaution, however, (although informally,) to ascertain from the State Superintendent, after the last apportionment was made, the amount apportioned the respective Counties, and thus have been enabled to exhibit what is still due each County at the end of the year.

The Auditor is required to report to the State Superintendent, the amount of money in the Treasury to the credit of the "General School Fund," on the first day of April in every year. And the Superintendent then apportions the same among the several Counties of the State. The Auditor can know nothing of the amount apportioned among the respective Counties, and when drafts are presented, made out according to law, payable to the order of the Township Treasurers of any County, the same would have to be paid, without any means of knowing whether such County is drawing more than was apportioned it or not. It will be seen that there is not a sufficient check upon drafts on the Treasury for this purpose, and I respectfully suggest that the 60th section of the School Law be so amended as to require the Superintendent to report to the Auditor his apportionment of said Fund among the respective Counties.

ASSESSMENT AND COLLECTION OF TAXES.

The assessment of taxes has been completed in all the Counties of the State for the year 1867, and from information received from different sections of the State, the collection of the same is progressing well, notwithstanding scarcity of money is much complained of. I think there is no doubt the act passed last session of the Legislature, concerning the collection of taxes, is working satisfactorily, and will secure a more prompt payment of the revenue into the Treasury.

The Table presenting the number of white and colored capitations, and the various kinds and value of personal property assessed for taxation in the respective Counties, exhibits a great difference in the value fixed on the same kinds of property in different counties, and is evidence that the burthen of taxation is not as equal and uniform as it should be, nor as is designed by law. Earnest efforts have been made by this Department to secure a fair valuation of all property assessed throughout the State for taxation, and more will be done to secure that end in the next annual assessment.

Under an act passed last session of the Legislature entitled, "An Act Concerning Assessment of Taxes," the Auditor is required to furnish

to each Assessor blank lists sufficient in number to take from each person or company in his district required to list property for taxation, a list duly sworn to, of all persons and personal property, money, &c. Said Act was passed February 28, at which time many of the Assessors had already completed a considerable portion of their assessments, and so much more time would have elapsed before such blanks could have been furnished, (thereby delaying the Assessors' labors,) that the law was not executed in the last assessments. By the provisions of the same Act, the Recorders are required to examine and correct the Assessors' books of their respective Counties, and certify the fact of such examination and correction. The books having been prepared under the law existing prior to passage of said Act, had no blank certificate in them for the purpose, and in some instances were returned to this Office without such certificate of examination. The books so returned were mostly from Counties to which there was no chance of returning them by express; and mail facilities being slow and uncertain, I thought it better to retain them than to risk their return and incur further expense and consequent delay in the oollection of taxes that would result thereby. It seems necessary, therefore, that the assessments made this year should be ratified by act or resolution of the Legislature, as the law was not fully complied with, and I respectfully suggest that such course be pursued.

RE-VALUATION OF REAL ESTATE.

The Board of Equalization appointed under the provisions of Chapter 134, Acts of 1867, for the purpose of equalizing the assessments of the value of the lands of the State, as between the various Counties thereof, met in obedience to the requirements of said Act, and agreed upon and filed in this Office, as the result of their labors, the following resolution, viz:

Resolved by this Board, That in pursuance of the provisions of Chapter 134 of the Acts of 1867, entitled "An Act to provide for the Equalization of the Assessments of the Value of Lands of the State as between the various Counties thereof," we have agreed upon an increased per cent on the aggregate value of the lands and town lots and improvements in the several Counties hereinafter specified, upon the value as fixed by the Commissioners of the respective Counties appointed under the provisions of an Act passed February 21, 1866, entitled "An

Act to provide for a Re-assessment of the Value of all the Real Estate in this State," as follows, to-wit:

Brooke	82	per ct.	Logan	5	per ct.	Randolph	19	per ct.
Cabell	48	"	Marshall	19	"	Roane	6	"
Clay	7	"	Mason	36	"	Taylor	4	"
Doddridge	13	"	Nicholas	13	"	Tucker	6	"
Fayette	16	"	Ohio	11	"	Upshur	15	"
Greenbrier	18	"	Pendleton	5	"	Wayne	38	"
Hancock	34	"	Pocahontas	10	"	Webster	8	"
Jackson	7	"	Preston	2	"	Wetzel	22	"
Kanawha	16	"	Putnam	15	"	Wyoming	50	"
Lewis	21	"	Raleigh	16	"			

And that books be made increasing the aggregate value of each tract of land and town lot, with the improvements thereon, in the respective Counties, the per cent aforesaid.

Resolved, further, That we have agreed upon a reduced per cent on the aggregate value of the lands and town lots and improvements in the several Counties hereinafter specified, upon the value as fixed by the Commissioners appointed as aforesaid in said Counties, as follows, to-wit:

Barbour	24	per ct.	Hardy	8	per ct.	Morgan	4	per ct.
Berkeley	21	"	Harrison	20	"	McDowell	8	"
Boone	8	"	Jefferson	20	"	Pleasants	55	"
Braxton	21	"	Marion	18	"	Ritchie	46	"
Calhoun	8	"	Mercer	8	"	Tyler	8	"
Gilmer	8	"	Mineral	10	"	Wirt	8	"
Grant	13	"	Monroe	16	"	Wood	13	"
Hampshire	6	"						

And that books be made out reducing the aggregate value of each tract of land and town lot, with the improvements thereon, in the respective Counties, the per cent aforesaid.

Resolved, further, That in the County of Monongalia, the value fixed by the Commissioners appointed as aforesaid, be agreed upon as a correct valuation."

As will be seen, this equalization is based upon the value fixed by the Commissioners appointed under the Act passed February 21, 1866, providing for a re-assessment of the value of real estate. Under the provisions of said law, any person feeling himself aggrieved by the value fixed on his land by the Commissioner, may seek and obtain redress upon petitioning the Board of Supervisors of the County wherein such land is situated. From reliable information I am led to believe that, in some instances, reductions thus made will work injustice, not only to the State, but to the other tax payers of the County. As one instance of this, a late Commissioner writes me, that some six or seven years since, he conveyed a certain tract of land, in consideration of $6 per acre, and that in his re-valuation in 1866, he valued the same at $7 per acre. Application was made to the Board of Supervisors for

redress of alleged grievances, and the Board reduced it to $1 50 per acre. He says further, that there were about one hundred applications for reduction in the value of lands, and some were reduced to a sum less than the improvements on the land are worth. This proceeding is in a County in which the Board of Equalization has made a reduction on the value assessed by the late Commissioner. In several Counties complaints are made as to inequalities existing as between the value of lands of citizens of the same County. In consideration of the probable existence of such inequalities, I respectfully suggest that provision be made for a County Board of Equalization.

ASSESSMENT OF RAILROAD PROPERTY.

Continued efforts have been made by this Department to secure a proper assessment upon the property of Railroad Companies within the State, but the result is not entirely satisfactory. In order to facilitate the assessment of such property, blanks, prepared in accordance with the provisions of the law assessing the same, have been furnished the Assessors of Counties through which such roads are located. The blanks are to be filled by the President, Secretary, or principal accounting officer of the company, and returned to the Assessor. All the roads in the State, excepting two short lines, the Hempfield and the Panhandle, or Pittsburgh and Steubenville Roads, are under the control of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company, and said Company claims exemption from taxation under the provisions of its charter, and, therefore, refuses to make the required returns, not only for the main road, but for the Parkersburg Branch, over which it has secured control. All information that would enable the Assessors to make a proper estimate of the value of the property of said Company, has been studiously withheld, and they were left to make such assessment as best they could, from their own judgment and from such information as they could obtain from other sources than the officers or employees of the Company. The following tabular statement shows the amount of property assessed on the respective roads in the several Counties through which they pass, with the aggregate on the property of the respective roads in the State. From this it will be seen that the assessment in the aggregate is very light:

TABLE J.

THE following Table exhibits the Assessments made on property of Railroad Companies for the year 1867, in the respective counties through which the roads are located:

COUNTY.	Controlled by Balt. & Ohio R. R. Co.			Pittsburgh & Steubenville R. R.	Hempfield R. R.	Amount of Taxes for State and School purposes, at 30c. on each $100 for State, and 10c. on each $100 for School purposes.
	Balt and Ohio R. R.	Parkersburg Branch R. R.	Winchester and Potomac R. R.			
	Am't. Assessed.	Am't. Ass'd.	Am't. Ass'd.	Am't. Ass'd.	Am't. Ass'd.	
Brooke	.....	.....	.....	$150,000	.....	$ 600 00
Ohio	$ 125,000	.....	.....	.....	$ 22,505	590 01
Marshal	315,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,260 00
Wetzell	284,700	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,138 80
Marion	1,023,610	.....	.....	.....	.....	4.094 00
Taylor	550,000	$250,000	.....	.....	.....	3,200 00
Preston	250,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,000 00
Mineral	161,080	.....	.....	.....	.....	644 00
Hampshire	521,507	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,086 00
Morgan	1,807,701	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,230 00
Berkeley	725,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,900 00
Jefferson	50,000	.....	20,000	.....	.....	280 00
Wood	.....	120,000	.....	.....	.....	480 00
Ritchie	.....	50,000	.....	.....	.....	200 00
Doddridge	.....	92,000	.....	.....	.....	368 00
Harrison	.....	50,000	.....	.....	.....	200 00
Total	$5,813,598	$562,000	$20,000	$150,000	$22,505	$26,270 81

INSURANCE COMPANIES.

The business of Insurance is increasing very rapidly, and so much of the fortunes of our citizens have become involved in it, that a successful management of it is a matter worthy of consideration by the Legislature. It seems to me that the relation of our National and State governments, as well as sound policy and inter-state courtesy, forbids any attempt on our part to prohibit insurance companies organized in sister States from doing business in this State, or embarrassing them by unnecessary restrictions; at the same time, such legislation should be had as will protect our people from imposition by irresponsible companies organized under the laws of this or any other State.

The object sought in insurance is, indemnity against loss by fire, flood, accident, death, &c. This is proposed to be attained by policies of insurance issued by corporations legally organized, and which, it is presumed by the assured, have capital sufficient to meet their probable liabilities. As these companies are organized under State authority, they carry with them, to some extent, a guaranty of the State of their fitness for the purposes they assume to accomplish, and of their pecuniary responsibility. It is, therefore, the duty of the State to see that these corporations are based upon sufficient capital to secure the policy holders in their insurance in case of loss.

Under our laws, as they now stand, a Joint Stock Insurance Company may be organized with a capital stock subscribed of one thousand dollars or one hundred dollars, or even less, of which only ten per cent need be paid in; and by assuming a large name and dealing in fancy stock, may transact a considerable business, its premiums yielding a large remuneration on the stock. While no losses are sustained by the assured, the company prospers by the liberal support of the citizens; but on the other hand, should there be any considerable amount of property destroyed on which risks are taken by such company, it must fail, and those assured will realize, when too late, that their policies, like the company issuing them, are more fanciful than real.

The act passed last session of the Legislature concerning insurance companies not incorporated by this State requires all such companies, except life and accidental insurance companies, to deposit with the Treasurer of this State $25,000 in money or United States securities, as a surety to policy holders, but there is no guaranty whatever given to the company for the deposit. The result of said law was that all foreign companies, (except life and accidental,) at once withdrew from the State, and our people were compelled to take policies of home companies or go abroad to procure them. It is not at all probable that our companies are able to carry the risks demanded, and apart from this, a

considerable source of revenue is cut off by the withdrawal of said companies. Our own companies refuse to pay the taxes imposed, and are contesting the validity of the law imposing the same. Life and Accidental Insurance Companies also claim exemption from payment of taxes under the provisions of the act referred to, which, if persisted in, will compel a resort to the courts of the State for a decision thereon. Two foreign companies have recently complied with the law, by making the required deposit, and have thus secured their policy holders to that extent against loss. Whilst it is proper to protect the people against imposition by fictitious and unreliable companies from abroad, it is equally important that such protection should be given them against imposition from our own companies.

Our companies are generally managed by gentlemen of the highest integrity, and, I suppose, possess a considerable capital paid up, but who, outside of the directory, know how much capital they have, or how invested? Ought not sworn reports to be made to this office, that the true condition of the companies may be reported annually to the Legislature? And would it not be better to confer visitorial powers upon some State officer, that the reported condition of the company may be officially verified? This would prove beneficial to both the company and to the policy holder, as it will inspire confidence in the latter and give credit to the former.

SALES OF LANDS DELINQUENT FOR TAXES.

Under the law providing for the sale of delinquent lands, the lists were sent to the sheriffs, and sales made for the delinquent taxes of 1865 and 1866, in the several counties from which delinquent lists were received for said years, prior to August 1st, excepting McDowell County, the Sheriff of which did not receive the list in time to give the notice required, so I directed the return of the list.

From the heavy expense attending the advertising of these lists, I again respectfully urge the adoption of the change in the law suggested in my last Annual Report, viz: that Section 4 of Chapter 90, Acts of 1866, be so amended as to require the sheriff, upon receiving the list of delinquent land for sale, to make out and post three abstracts thereof, instead of three copies, giving the name of the person charged, the number of acres, and the local description of the same, with the amount of tax and interest due, and to append a notice of the time and place of sale, and instead of publishing the list in some convenient paper, as now required, let the sheriff publish a notice in such paper of the time and place of sale. The necessity for such change is apparent, from the fact that in some instances the costs of advertising amount to

more than the sales made to individual purchasers, and the balance becomes a charge upon the Treasury.

Section 16 of said Chapter 90, should be so amended as to require the purchaser of a tract of land, or a part thereof, at a sale for taxes, before being entitled to a deed, to produce evidence that he has paid all legal taxes assessed and due on said land subsequent to his purchase. The propriety of such an amendment is clear, when it is considered that the purchaser, upon obtaining his deed, becomes vested with such title and estate as was vested in the party assessed with the taxes, (on account whereof the sales were made,) at the commencement of the year for which such taxes were assessed. Now, if such party had a good title at the time the taxes were assessed, the purchaser obtains a good title to his purchase in two years from the sale; and should the taxes assessed subsequent to the sale, and prior to the purchaser's obtaining his deed, be returned delinquent, there is no inducement to a second purchaser, for he can obtain no title.

Provision should be made for the sale of lands delinquent for county taxes.

Efforts have been made by this Department to procure lists of lands sold in 1860 for delinquent taxes, and purchased on behalf of the Commonwealth of Virginia, in the several counties of this State, but with only partial success. In nearly half the counties of the State, it seems, such lists have been lost or mislaid by the late Commissioners of the Revenue, hence the Assessors have been unable to comply with the requirements of Section 1, Chapter 92, Acts of 1865. It is important to persons desiring to redeem such lands, that such lists, or copies thereof, be filed in this office; and it is absolutely necessary for carrying out the provisions of said Chapter 92, Acts of 1865, that the Circuit Courts of the State be furnished copies for the several counties of their respective circuits.

The only chance to procure such lists, or copies, is by application to the Auditor's Office in Richmond, Virginia, and I respectfully suggest that provision be made for procuring the same for those counties wherein such lists appear to be lost.

In the suggestions accompanying my last Annual Report, among other things, the attention of the Legislature was called to the following subjects, which, I think, were not considered, and the experience of another year has confirmed me in the views I then entertained, concerning them, and I again present them for consideration:

JURY COSTS.

By the provisions of Section 29 of Chapter 93, Acts of 1863, $6 is to be taxed by the clerk of the court, as jury costs, when a verdict and

judgment are rendered against any person for a misdemeanor. This sum, when collected from such person, shall be paid into the State Treasury. A like sum is to be taxed in civil causes upon a verdict and judgment, and paid into the County Treasury.

As the law now stands, there is no way provided for debiting the sheriff or collector with such costs, neither in this Office nor in the County Treasurer's Office.

I suggest, therefore, that the Clerk of the Court wherein such verdicts are rendered, should be required, under a penalty, to report annually at some stated period, to this Office, verdicts rendered in misdemeanors, and to the County Treasurer, verdicts in civil causes, in a manner similar to that in which fines are reported under Chapter 43, Code of Virginia of 1860. In consonance with the foregoing suggestion, blanks were furnished the Clerks of the Circuit Courts of the several counties, with the request that they report to this Office such jury costs as were payable into the State Treasury. A considerable number have reported, notwithstanding there is no law requiring it.

The Clerk of a Court is allowed five per cent commission for paying into the Treasury, fines paid into court, and I think they should be allowed a like commission for paying into the Treasury such jury costs as may be paid into court.

TOLL BRIDGES AND FERRIES.

Section 48 of Chapter 118, Acts of 1863, provides for taxing the yearly rental value of all toll bridges and ferries. This provision is taken from the Code of Virginia of 1860, under which the tax imposed was classed with income tax, and was taxed at the rate of six per centum on the rental value. The law, as it stands, imposes a tax on the rental value, instead of the property value. Hence taxation thereon is not equal to the taxes assessed on other property of like value. I respectfully suggest that said section be so amended as to require the Assessor to assess for taxation such property at its true value.

The returns of the Registry of Births, Deaths and Marriages were made from all the counties of the State, excepting the County of Wayne, full abstracts of which are here made. I am satisfied that from many counties the Register of Births and Deaths is not complete, and the great disparity in the number occurring in counties whose population is near the same, is conclusive evidence of the fact. While these abstracts afford much information of interest, it is doubtful with me whether it fully compensates for the labor bestowed upon them.

The second clerk in this Office was diligently employed for more than one month in their preparation. With the increasing business in this Department, and the limited clerical force assigned to discharge the

same, it is a matter of doubt whether so full abstracts can be prepared in the future, unless an additional clerk is employed for the purpose.

In preparing the lists of delinquent lands to send out for sale, to get them to the sheriffs within the time required by law, I was compelled to employ an additional clerk for about two months, whom I paid out of appropriation for contingent expenses of this Office.

UNSETTLED ACCOUNTS OF COLLECTING OFFICERS.

When I took charge of this Department, in 1865, I found a great many unsettled accounts on the books from assessments which had been made during the war. In some cases no person could be secured to make the collections; in others, perhaps partial collections had been made, and owing to the dangers and difficulties existing, had to be suspended as to the residue. It is now very difficult for officers to collect these old taxes, and some time will elapse before these accounts are all adjusted. In my last Report, balances on accounts, for the years 1861 to 1865, were shown to exist to the amount of $157,165 05. As will be seen by abstracts of receipts at the Treasury during the year, there was received into the Treasury, on these accounts, the sum of $76,161 09; and from October 1st to December 1st, of the current year, there has been received, $12,141 60 thereon, making a total paid on same to December 1st, 1867, $91,302 78, leaving a balance of $65,862 27. A considerable portion of this residue has been secured, and other portions will probably be entirely lost to the Treasury.

TABLE K.

Exhibiting the Number of Persons and the Amount of Personal Property of the various kinds Listed for Taxation in the several Counties for 1867, giving the Average Value per head of Horses, Cattle, Sheep and Hogs.

COUNTY.	No. Male Inhabitants over 21 years of age.		Horses, Mules, Asses and Jennetts.			Pleasure Carriages, Stage Coaches and all Wagons.		CATTLE.			SHEEP.			HOGS.			WATCHES.		Piano Fortes, Harps, Melodeons, &c.		Value of all Gold and Silver Plate, Plated Ware, Jewelry, &c.
	White	Col'd	No.	Av. Val.	Total Val.	No.	Tot. Val.	No.	Av. Val.	Total Val.	No.	Av. Val.	Total Val	No.	Av. Val.	Total Val.	No.	Tot. Val.	No.	Tot. Val.	
Barbour	1739	19	2590	$59	$151 929	300	$ 9.224	8523	21	$ 178,041	11 544	$1 40	$ 16 179	1521	$2 50	$ 3810	200	$ 2661	16	$ 927	$ 90
Berkeley	2272	197	3004	69	207,002	1400	54,605	4929	21	103 880	7,861	2 78	21,825	2853	5 93	16913	577	17503	56	11245	4491
Boone	845	24	569	65	37,033	17	958	3131	17	52,819	3 438	1 60	5 493	77-6	2 62	7297	97	1888	2	55	236
Braxton	1065	13	1039	62	64.716	130	4 465	3686	17	62,691	7,478	1 53	11,414	2975	1 41	4209	138	2457	2	150	75
Brooke	930	3	1202	62	74 407	418	18,155	1568	25	38,986	37,755	3 25	122.789	246	8 36	2057	197	4879	34	5300	730
Cabell	1061	6	981	69	67 677	104	4 890	4074	19	76,964	4,671	1 93	9,009	5598	2 10	11729	162	5350	16	3625	2032
Calhoun	435	4	424	65	27,462	66	2 448	1565	19	29 592	3,086	1 54	4,762	806	2 43	1956	51	660	.....	.....	.....
Clay	320	.....	271	51	13,765	10	265	1110	15	16,486	2,275	1 51	3,441	1142	1 63	1856	18	147	.....	.....	25
Doddridge	1074	5	1277	61	77,359	22	1,120	3396	20	67 360	6,660	1 51	10,058	851	3 95	3358	149	2262	1	100	.....
Fayette	1139	24	1046	50	52 103	281	6.817	3730	13	48,039	5,884	1 47	8 649	2592	2 00	5171	143	1904	3	480	550
Gilmer	717	5	810	70	56,790	158	5,726	2399	21	50,660	5 348	1 43	7,637	1082	2 89	3125	132	2231	3	358	53
Grant	771	40	1310	70	92 363	229	10,361	4557	28	128,158	7,661	2 14	16 424	1068	5 84	6238	121	2685	4	1000	666
Greenbrier	1962	180	3039	71	217.153	150	9,345	8545	22	188,747	15,894	1 69	26,829	1828	3 76	6873	337	11030	44	7670	1540
Hancock	921	8	1013	79	79,702	222	10,052	1599	29	45,864	27,563	3 07	84 647	247	6 40	1580	314	6178	28	4515	227
Hampshire	1478	77	2403	65	155,936	142	6,970	5581	18	101,455	9,126	2 01	18 346	1473	5 64	8302	273	5607	18	3035	732
Hardy	946	90	1526	68	103,354	90	6,880	4292	28	119,501	6 701	2 62	17,560	1367	6 70	9151	187	6052	16	2400	2846
Harrison	2018	49	4755	77	365,175	1023	45,067	14523	32	463,526	20 602	2 60	53 605	1867	5 53	10321	1203	16686	40	9675	3016
Jackson	1836	5	2032	67	136.713	569	21 083	4212	22	92,468	10,939	2 03	22.220	2028	4 15	8425	245	4842	5	880	140
Jefferson	1697	387	3041	84	256,512	645	38,874	5591	22	121,818	7,782	3 86	30 046	10649	4 50	47952	629	21009	140	20160	8101
Kanawha	3430	296	2563	63	161,865	820	24,233	7015	19	133 846	8,494	1 78	15.082	4394	3 37	14820	359	15873	76	12895	3000
Lewis	1674	23	2279	64	145,745	63	2 735	7347	22	163,247	12,144	1 67	20 250	1830	2 67	4882	333	6087	14	2650	1099
Lincoln	631	1	503	65	32,916	74	2,607	2286	18	41,252	3,364	1 55	5 220	2611	2 13	5561	61	746	.....	.....	128
Logan	877	16	671	64	42,817	29	948	3722	15	56,530	3,796	1 52	5.769	3090	2 40	7440	35	515	.....	.....	50
Marion	2480	14	3173	75	238.022	620	21.896	7691	27	210,381	17,159	2 06	35 389	1117	4 88	5448	585	9981	28	4020	408
Marshall	2427	8	3203	50	165,351	53	2 785	5344	15	78 989	37,548	1 64	61,671	4201	2 37	9970	272	4776	24	3015	190
Mason	2749	45	2783	65	181 237	137	8,145	6661	24	163,873	13 238	1 86	24,597	2298	5 38	12373	506	15626	31	6100	1291
Mercer	1133	60	1171	51	60,135	3	205	3751	12	42,785	7,396	1 20	8 850	2086	2 31	4825	37	790	2	300	25
Mineral	1090	61	1367	71	96,900	120	6 080	3688	30	109,590	4.904	2 55	12,529	1114	6 30	7019	252	6639	9	1700	1315
Monongalia	2444	32	4161	72	301 171	589	23 905	9363	25	236,970	23,949	2 50	59,662	1574	4 76	74-8	537	8877	36	4862	1703
Monroe	1906	117	3051	83	254,255	486	25,490	8161	22	176,333	16,790	1 45	24,274	1768	4 83	8535	264	7930	27	4420	2004

TABLE K.—*Continued.*

Exhibiting the Number of Persons and the Amount of Personal Property of the various kinds Listed for Taxation in the several Counties for 1867, giving the Average Value per head, of Horses, Cattle, Sheep and Hogs.

COUNTY.	No. Male Inhabitants over 21 years of age.		Horses, Mules, Asses and Jennetts.			Pleasure Carriages, Stage Coaches and all Wagons.		CATTLE.			SHEEP.			HOGS.			WATCHES.		Piano Fortes, Harps, Melodeons, &c.		Value of all Gold and Silver Plate, Plated Ware, Jewelry, &c.
	White	Col'd	No.	Av. Val.	Total Val.	No.	Tot. Val.	No.	Av. Val.	Total Val.	No.	Av. Val.	Total Val.	No.	Av. Val.	Total Val.	No.	Tot. Val.	No.	Tot. Val.	
Morgan	829	13	871	$73	$ 63,901	350	$ 11 693	2127	$18	$ 38,289	2,155	$2 45	$ 5,291	968	$4 49	$ 4344	306	$ 5324	7	$ 942	$ 1210
McDowell	248	.....	167	71	11.916	10	330	872	17	14.446	1 009	1 79	1 806	798	2 64	2106	7	72	.....	.....	10
Nicholas	831	4	973	56	54,693	183	5,157	3726	14	53 763	7 386	1 33	9,802	3174	1 89	6003	74	862	4	755	15
Ohio	5364	79	2533	54	137,925	610	42,943	2820	17	46 737	45 877	2 00	91,775	3383	2 81	9499	1182	41176	341	58095	6030
Pendleton	1196	23	2110	65	136,932	26	1,067	6552	22	148,996	12,305	1 90	23,467	2951	4 00	11784	167	2730	7	775	138
Pleasants	6742	2	797	78	62 110	192	7,917	1604	28	45 485	4.287	2 43	10,434	339	5 84	1980	145	2560	5	1110	178
Pocahontas	635	36	1318	63	84 843	237	9,612	5633	20	112,517	7,790	1 54	11,958	1416	2 32	3290	100	1421	3	111	60
Preston	2708	13	3438	65	226.697	777	22.956	8492	18	154,530	26.322	2 30	60,678	2107	3 29	6924	591	9268	17	1715	542
Putnam	1259	39	1140	53	60 762	49	2 160	2969	16	46 608	5 019	1 26	6.325	1811	2 60	4703	173	3407	12	2050	830
Raleigh	672	6	587	57	33 548	124	4 189	2580	15	37,527	3,764	1 43	5,380	1922	2 51	4838	50	835	.....	.....	94
Randolph	952	8	1272	42	53,069	43	1 265	5077	12	62 216	7 403	1 20	8 912	1132	1 65	1870	76	1031	2	700	90
Ritchie	1197	7	1566	69	108,135	28	1 226	3700	22	83 191	11,024	1 89	20,875	863	4 60	3965	210	4355	2	140	450
Roane	1138	5	1251	66	82,409	206	7,049	4210	17	72,673	8.992	1 66	13.884	2199	2 33	5135	122	2138	3	190	78
Taylor	1554	45	2005	57	115,503	87	3.252	5154	26	132,256	5,922	2 28	13.511	550	4 66	2565	647	10251	24	3295	1081
Tyler	1411	4	1860	62	115.404	344	12 308	3671	19	70,638	12 355	1 65	20.350	973	5 19	5046	299	3335	8	905	163
Tucker	311	5	488	50	24 312	50	1,475	1519	15	23,385	2.710	2 12	5,749	303	2 66	805	44	694	.....	.....	.....
Upshur	1495	29	1873	69	123 449	322	12.060	5549	24	133.256	8,388	1 80	15,092	921	2 57	2370	223	3716	6	725	110
Wayne	1525	22	1318	72	95.307	100	4,111	6740	18	118 067	9,776	1 89	18.468	3537	3 32	11747	162	3171	8	399	613
Webster	291	.....	257	43	11,013	.....	.....	1064	12	13 265	1,902	1 12	2,133	905	1 22	1108	19	205	1	5	.....
Wetzel	1504	3	1375	75	102,667	303	9,800	5548	14	75.201	10 898	1 95	21 244	2554	2 83	7221	578	2791	2	270	185
Wirt	983	2	1035	75	77 495	30	1,535	2290	18	41.987	4 361	1 54	6,726	3159	1 74	5494	213	4851	8	226	170
Wood	3556	120	3024	73	222,140	1197	53 230	5089	25	129,405	11,888	1 98	23,545	1382	6 46	8930	901	28070	130	21845	13255
Wyoming	465	11	312	66	20 653	26	1,022	1732	17	29,284	2,404	1 98	4,764	1807	2 28	4128	43	498	.....	.....	.....
Total	74,934	2,285	88,982	$67	5,942,448	14,264	592,751	241,058	21	5,084,597	564,987	2 07	1,166,396	108,216	3 37	364,539	14,749	326,632	1265	199,650	62,065

TABLE K.—*Continued.*

COUNTY.	Value of all Household and Kitchen Furniture.	Money, bonds, securities, &c	Money, bonds, contracts, &c., under the control of Courts, &c	Capital of joint stock Companies other than Railroads.	Average value of personal property to be listed by Merchants.	Average value of personal property to be listed by Manufact'rs,	Value of all personal property not named in the foregoing.	Value of yrly rent of all Tol Bridges & Ferries.	Capital employed in any trade other than agriculture, manufac'ring, merchandising, or joint stock co's	Value of property to be listed by R R. Companies.	Total value of personal property under the different heads.	Total tax on personal prop. erty for State purposes at 30 cents on each $100.	Tax on personal property for Schools, at 10 cts. on each $100, and $1 each capital'n
Barbour.....	$ 44,922	$ 105,261	$	$	$ 40,462	$ 2,700	7,954	$	$	$	$ 564,168	$ 1,692 52	$ 2,322 17
Berkeley....	169,209	360,838	11,547	.....	126,450	28,295	38,372	500	8,818	725,000	1,906,493	5,719 47	4,375 50
Boone.....	41,802	25,102	200	.....	12,600	.....	48,034	.....	.....	.....	233,517	700 56	1,102 52
Braxton.....	42,939	28,759	200	.....	16,500	7,400	20,395	.....	.....	.....	266,370	799 13	1,344 37
Brooke... ...	48,660	186,092	83,825	13,166	45,350	22,500	225	550	1,200	150,000	818,861	2,456 58	1,751 86
Cabell.....	65,215	69,215	6,000	40	37,630	8,595	4,044	550	2,730	.....	372,295	1,125 91	1,442 30
Calhoun.....	13,992	7,273	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,000	.....	.....	.....	90,039	270 39	529 03
Clay.....	7,307	8,286	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,026	.....	.....	.....	53,604	160 81	373 60
Doddrigde..	34,363	49,003	.....	.....	24,850	13,950	2,182	.....	625	92,000	378,587	1,140 17	1,460 48
Fayette.....	33,695	27,682	.....	.....	18,600	.....	9,481	100	.....	.....	213,271	639 81	1,376 27
Gilmer.....	30,647	23,839	1,400	385	9,800	.....	242	.....	.....	.....	192,894	578 68	914 89
Grant.....	50,814	131,367	175	.....	16,850	2,497	9,278	.....	.....	.....	468,876	1,406 60	1,279 87
Greenbrier.	135,387	238,074	.....	.....	34,320	15,723	23,589	.....	.....	.....	1,016,290	3,048 85	3,158 29
Hancock....	38,236	215,029	398	50	26,175	32,943	2,164	340	300	.....	548,401	1,647 44	1,478 13
Hampshire.	90,498	96,279	.....	.....	43,320	2,000	44,246	.....	1,500	521,507	1,099,726	3,299 16	2,654 72
Hardy.....	72,598	147,015	3,606	.....	20,675	700	44,764	.....	1,130	.....	558,215	1,674 64	1,594 21
Harrison....	176,565	490,244	4,800	110,030	164,945	39,215	59,027	.....	6,100	50,000	2,067,997	6,204 00	5,135 01
Jackson.....	70,248	44,103	239	.....	45,725	4,616	22,293	.....	.....	.....	466,796	1,400 07	2,307 80
Jefferson....	222,475	469,733	17,800	988	143,905	48,824	68,759	515	.....	70,000	1,586,692	4,759 76	3,670 36
Kanawha...	170,676	315,701	4,330	.....	170,775	550	6,290	1,700	69,568	.....	1,112,284	3,336 83	4,838 28
Lewis.....	74,049	80,453	1,380	.....	50,696	1,700	36,687	.....	5,915	.....	597,575	1,792 72	2,294 57
Lincoln.....	25,306	13,895	.....	.....	7,800	.....	4,415	.....	.....	.....	139,846	419 52	771 84
Logan.....	29,665	14,870	.....	.....	3,500	.....	7,622	.....	.....	.....	169,726	509 19	1,062 73
Marion... ..	116,165	376,675	.....	525	111,910	30,270	53,944	55	1,650	1,023,610	2,240,349	6,721 04	4,734 73
Marshall....	67,872	85,006	350	.....	45,165	26,800	2,474	.....	.....	315,000	869,714	2,609 11	3,304 71
Mason.....	112,477	472,644	21,505	.....	109,820	25	68,150	1,200	.....	.....	1,199,062	3,597 21	3,993 08
Mercer.....	28,855	17,535	.....	300	6,515	350	3,190	.....	1,060	.....	175,720	527 16	1,368 72
Mineral.....	83,305	96,445	1,150	3,000	89,615	10,200	13,692	.....	6,950	161,080	707,209	2,121 62	1,858 21

TABLE K.—*Continued.*

COUNTY	Value of all Household and Kitchen Furniture.	Money, bonds, securities, &c	Money, bonds, contracts, &c., under the control of courts, &c.	Capital of joint stock companies other than Railroads.	Average value of personal property to be listed by Merchants:	Average value of personal property to be listed by Manufact'rs.	Talue of al personal pro perty not named in the foregoing.	Value of yearly rent of all toll Bridges & Ferries.	Capital employed in any trade other than agricultural manufacturing, merchandising, or joint stock co's	Value of property to be listed by R. R. Companies.	Total value of personal property under the different heads.	Total tax on personal property for State purposes, at 30 cents on each $100.	Tax on personal property for Schools, at 10 cts. on each $100, and $1 each capitat'n
Monongalia	$ 119,074	$ 313,444	$ 1,770	$ 836	$ 63,715	$ 3,942	$ 16,990	$ 393	$ 20	$	1,164,822	$ 3,494 47	$ 3,640 83
Monroe.....	140,858	262,177	1,650	.....	21,150	2,250	12,769	125	.....	.....	944,220	2,832 66	2,967 22
Morgan	57,266	34,112	1,460	.....	34,550	.....	20,445	138	15,300	1,807,701	2,101,966	6,305 89	2,943 96
McDowell..	5,753	395	.....	.....	830	.....	2,509	.....	.....	.....	40,373	121 18	288 08
Nicholas....	23,566	31,776	760	.....	10,606	.....	7,903	40	.....	.....	205,784	617 10	1,040 78
Ohio.....	367,434	572,576	76,409	610,120	1,413,839	415,208	14,435	2,120	87,025	147,505	4,266,046	12,798 16	9,711 06
Pendleton..	61,549	107,772	113	.....	19,000	.....	2,575	.....	1,200	.....	518,198	1,554 95	1,738 61
Pleasants...	28,333	37,023	.....	.....	18,840	43.635	6,016	150	.....	.....	265,771	797 31	909 78
Pocahontas	38,454	59,228	.....	.....	12,570	1,446	19,284	.....	260	.....	355,054	1,065 15	1,127 05
Preston.....	99,032	358,716	1.879	3,020	103,078	45,859	20,845	.....	.....	250,000	1,292,430	3,885 12	4,016 75
Putnam.....	42,700	45,516	.....	1,000	26,755	3,910	3,508	.....	.....	.....	247,084	741 22	1,545 07
Raleigh.....	22,352	11,875	.....	.....	8,800	.....	4,642	.....	.....	.....	134,075	402 12	812 07
Randolph...	20,476	32,394	.....	.....	17,700	.....	616	.....	.....	.....	200,339	601 05	1,160 33
Ritchie.....	47,536	65,657	2,880	.....	100,190	45,515	9,096	.....	.....	50,000	494,213	1,482 63	1,698 21
Roane.....	32,472	15,823	18,742	1,720	15,600	6,831	9,326	.....	.....	.....	284,070	852 21	1,427 07
Taylor.....	120,439	179,054	1,197	.....	95,691	7,500	32,247	.....	26,087	800,000	1,543,927	4,631 78	3,142 93
Tyler.....	43,339	76,884	500	.....	54,130	12,358	11,038	20	2,667	.....	436,921	1,308 58	1,851 24
Tucker	8,016	11,876	.....	.....	3,100	100	1,890	.....	.....	.....	81,877	244 18	397 82
Upshur.....	59,361	77,011	.....	.....	12,910	3,847	23,512	.....	1,300	.....	468,719	1,406 15	1,992 72
Wayne.....	85,658	48,185	2,050	100	25,270	5,336	13,565	240	770	.....	433,057	1,299 17	1,980 06
Webster.....	5,372	10,470	.....	.....	475	.....	2,194	.....	.....	.....	46,230	138 68	337 23
Wetzel.....	32,108	30,053	.....	.....	23,376	.....	3,344	25	400	284,700	592,845	1,777 46	2,100 16
Wirt.....	32,655	67,714	.....	.....	57,000	105,055	7,016	140	.....	.....	408,365	1,228 39	1,394 33
Wood.....	292,495	839,103	20	.....	401,835	34,505	246,810	2,530	.....	120,000	2,440,798	7,325 10	6,122 54
Wyoming...	13,780	6,655	262	.....	.....	.....	3,249	.....	.....	.....	84,280	252 77	560 18
Total.....	3,898,020	7,491,907	268,588	153,197	3,964,963	1,037,150	1,101,366	11,431	242,575	6,568,103	39,166,041	117,522 43	117,404 31

TABLE L.

Exhibiting the Value of Real Estate in the several Counties, with the Taxes assessed thereon at the rate of 30 cents for State, and 10 cents for School Purposes, on every $100 value thereof, as shown by the Assessors' Books for 1867; also the Number of Acres and the Average Value thereof in each County.

COUNTY.	LAND.				LOTS.		LAND & LOTS.	AMOUNT OF TAX ASSESSED.	
	No. Acres.	Value of Buildings,	Val. of Land and Buildings.	Av. Val. per Acre.	Val. of Buildings on Lots.	Val. of Lots and Buildings.	Aggregate Value.	State Purposes.	School Purposes.
Barbour	203,156	$ 109,504	$1,694,225	$ 8 34	$ 28,090	$ 34,090	$ 1,728,315	$ 5,184 82	$ 1,728 25
Berkeley	197,986	541,167	4,555,645	23 00	486,335	648,006	5,203,651	15,610 95	5,203 65
Boone	359,570	27,990	538,723	1 50	.....	680	539,403	1,618 10	539 62
Braxton	643,460	58,165	806,298	1 25	3,900	11,666	816,964	2,459 84	820 33
Brooke	56,897	171,225	982,952	17 28	103,450	145,355	1,128,307	3,384 50	1,128 30
Cabell	415,938	80,133	1,390,002	3 34	80,540	161,596	1,551,598	4,655 82	1,552 45
Calhoun	234,477	19,995	438,832	1 87	.....	.....	438,832	1,314 62	437 53
Clay	273,070	7,725	232,454	85	.....	.....	232,454	697 36	232 45
Doddridge	363,410	31,808	913,205	2 51	11,795	22,080	935,285	2,805 86	935 29
Fayette	588,386	72,508	905,970	1 54	1,000	4,277	910,247	2,730 74	910 25
Gilmer	331,143	33,968	550,139	1 66	12,430	17,978	568,117	1,704 35	568 12
Grant	356,578	121,350	1,495,197	4 19	15,300	18,300	1,513,497	4,540 29	1,513 71
Greenbrier	649,173	574,376	3,424,425	5 28	27,125	32,160	3,456,585	10,379 80	3,461 54
Hancock	52,124	116,393	841,936	16 15	41,415	70,804	912,740	2,738 21	912 74
Hampshire	393,580	261,525	2,034,314	5 17	156,080	204,910	2,239,224	6,671 89	2,222 75
Hardy	324,767	179,437	1,683,920	5 18	70,850	92,700	1,776,620	5,329 60	1,776 40
Harrison	294,100	424,050	3,473,545	11 81	282,950	400,932	3,874,477	11,627 51	3,875 81
Jackson	330,723	77,870	1,379,683	4 17	58,045	89,800	1,469,483	4,408 45	1.469 49
Jefferson	132,170	907,150	6,535,936	49 45	614,525	848,450	7,384,386	22,153 15	7,384 38
Kanawha	774,993	536,935	3,154,828	4 07	295,140	521,130	3,675,958	11,089 08	3,695 43
Lewis	246,229	112,160	1,186,129	4 82	97,382	142,448	1,328,577	3,986 36	1,328 76
Lincoln	588,426	31,455	1,209,013	2 05	250	519	1,209,532	3,628 57	1,209 54
Logan	272,790	31,070	346,655	1 28	1,000	5,505	352,160	1,084 30	361 43
Marion	197,429	247,582	2,287,411	11 58	149,901	218,220	2,505,631	7,526 66	2,509 69
Marshall	188,501	219,393	2,235,808	11 86	107,275	167,610	2,403,418	7,231 15	2,410 77
Mason	354,376	301,622	2,912,658	8 22	317,325	464,835	3,377,493	10,132 86	3,377 60
Mercer	324,655	40,194	689,974	2 13	900	4,975	694,949	2,084 74	996 92

TABLE L.—*Continued.*

COUNTY.	LAND.				LOTS.		LAND & LOTS.	AMOUNT OF TAX ASSESSED.	
	No. Acres.	Value of Buildings.	Val. of Land and Buildings.	Av. Val. per Acre.	Val. of Buildings on Lots.	Val. of Lots and Buildings.	Aggregate Value.	State Purposes.	School Purposes.
Mineral	232,238	$ 161,318	$ 1,460,035	$ 6 29	$ 100,302	$ 170,746	$ 1,630,781	$ 4,869 78	$ 1,623 75
Monongalia	235,182	328,041	2,626,317	11 17	158,205	233,466	2,859,783	8,579 34	2,859 78
Monroe	369,673	412,213	3,257,045	8 81	88,065	109,104	3,366,149	10,099 28	3,366 45
Morgan	155,351	134,767	654,371	4 21	69,260	87,685	742,056	2,226 17	742 05
McDowell	1,138,699	1,750	541,672	48	.....	.....	541,672	1,624 26	560 32
Nicholas	496,439	65,148	759,199	1 53	2,125	5,750	764,949	2,295 62	763 43
Ohio*	64,323	276,402	1,565,565	.....	* 197,154	3,714,394	5,279,959	15,839 92	5,279 99
Pendleton	474,761	123,328	1,076,765	2 27	21,660	26,717	1,103,482	3,330 20	1,113 41
Pleasants	90,419	65,046	816,853	90	15,268	21,295	838,148	2,514 44	838 14
Pocahontas	719,491	82,838	1,144,403	1 59	2,000	3,605	1,148,008	3,447 87	1,150 31
Preston	409,479	249,904	1,558,787	3 81	80,420	109,090	1,667,877	5,015 51	1,676 17
Putnam	231,518	105,892	929,969	4 02	40,275	56,955	986,924	2,960 69	986 93
Raleigh	456,099	40,185	492,822	1 08	3,520	5,919	498,741	1,499 41	499 43
Randolph	1,660,657	30,395	1,186,840	71	19,128	27,203	1,214,043	3,642 95	1,214 44
Ritchie*	202,703	.....	1,092,848	5 39	.....	27,971	1,120,819	3,362 46	1,120 82
Roane	322,307	21,356	565,993	1 76	9,725	13,840	579,833	1,739 43	579 77
Taylor	109,000	123,626	1,156,823	10 61	207,040	271,770	1,428,593	4,285 78	1,428 59
Tyler	181,123	73,862	810,640	4 48	38,212	69,393	880,033	2,660 49	886 70
Tucker	239,504	11,405	294,990	1 23	.475	660	295,630	888 34	297 09
Upshur	332,404	111,537	1,117,300	3 36	43,675	67,149	1,184,449	3,578 85	1,192 66
Wayne	328,172	69,612	1,071,908	3 27	16,645	32,985	1,104,893	3,314 69	1,104 95
Webster	433,169	7,285	272,025	63	.....	290	272,315	816 93	272 30
Wetzel	266,102	42,700	844,606	3 17	12,368	22,898	867,504	2,602 51	867 50
Wirt	223,460	53,376	641,192	2 87	25,360	37,247	678,439	2,053 04	680 90
Wood	261,536	292,040	2,077,158	7 94	910,549	1,261,379	3,338,537	10,016 92	3,340 21
Wyoming	588,487	4,899	266,781	45	5,191	6,401	273,182	816 77	271 18
Total	19,350,573	$8,225,675	$76,182,784	.....	$5,029,630	$10,711,938	$86,894,702	$260,861 23	$86,978 47

*The value of buildings in Ritchie county and those of the City District of Ohio County not reported separately from the land and lots.

TABLE I.

ABSTRACT from Returns of Register of Marriages for 1866, showing the Age at which parties Married for the first time, also the average age and the number who Married persons in Widowhood.

COUNTY.	MALES.																			FEMALES.																
	15 Years.	16 Years.	17 Years.	18 Years.	19 Years.	20 Years.	21 Years.	22 Years.	23 Years.	24 Years.	25 Years.	25 to 30.	30 to 40.	40 to 50.	50 to 60.	60 to 70.	Total.	Av. Age.	Married Widows.	14 Years.	15 Years.	16 Years.	17 Years.	18 Years.	19 Years.	20 Years.	21 Years.	22 Years.	23 Years.	24 Years.	25 Years.	25 to 30.	30 to 40.	40 to 50.	50 to 60.	Total.	Av. Age.	Married Widowers.
Barbour	...	...	1	3	4	7	7	22	10	15	9	13	2	...	...	...	93	23	1	...	1	3	9	18	10	13	15	12	7	3	5	1	2	1	...	100	20	8
Berkeley	...	...	...	...	...	1	10	15	11	13	11	28	14	1	1	...	105	25	2	...	...	...	3	11	10	9	15	17	10	7	7	14	7	...	...	110	22	7
Boone	...	1	...	2	5	5	9	11	7	2	3	7	1	...	...	...	53	21	7	...	2	6	3	7	6	8	9	5	2	1	2	3	...	1	...	55	20	9
Braxton	...	...	...	2	7	2	8	5	7	8	7	13	7	1	...	...	67	24	5	...	...	6	5	7	10	2	11	9	6	3	3	2	4	...	...	68	22	6
Brooke	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	2	1	...	6	7	4	...	...	...	24	25	...	...	...	...	2	1	2	4	4	3	4	3	...	2	1	...	...	26	22	2
Cabell	...	...	1	3	2	1	16	6	14	7	6	12	4	1	...	...	73	23	4	1	3	6	5	12	8	4	10	6	9	3	2	3	4	1	...	77	21	8
Calhoun	...	...	...	1	6	2	6	4	3	2	3	2	1	...	...	...	30	22	...	...	4	1	3	6	5	2	6	1	1	1	1	1	...	1	...	33	19	3
Clay	1	...	1	2	2	4	1	1	...	...	2	2	2	...	...	...	18	22	1	1	...	1	2	3	1	1	4	3	1	...	...	2	1	...	..	20	21	3
Doddridge	...	...	...	1	2	7	10	6	9	4	3	9	5	...	...	...	56	23	2	...	3	1	2	5	8	10	8	2	6	6	1	5	1	...	...	58	22	4
Fayette	...	...	...	2	1	2	6	7	4	8	6	8	7	...	...	...	51	24	2	...	...	1	4	7	6	6	7	6	3	5	1	6	1	...	...	53	22	4
Gilmer	...	...	...	...	4	6	4	11	2	5	6	14	5	1	...	...	58	24	6	...	...	2	3	9	6	7	11	5	4	1	...	6	...	1	...	55	21	4
Grant	...	...	...	...	...	4	3	4	2	...	1	3	6	...	...	...	23	25	1	...	...	...	1	6	...	3	2	4	2	1	2	4	...	...	...	25	21	3
Greenbrier	...	...	...	...	2	1	16	14	11	5	13	28	16	2	1	...	109	26	7	...	1	3	5	17	8	11	13	9	11	7	10	10	6	1	...	112	22	10
Hampshire	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	14	10	11	6	22	15	1	1	...	89	26	2	...	...	...	6	7	8	8	14	12	10	8	11	10	3	...	1	98	22	11
Hancock	...	...	...	...	1	3	3	1	1	5	1	8	5	1	...	...	29	26	...	...	...	1	2	1	1	6	6	3	2	3	...	3	3	3	...	34	25	5
Hardy	1	...	...	1	1	...	6	2	7	4	3	8	5	...	...	...	38	24	2	...	...	2	3	5	3	2	8	3	3	5	2	5	3	...	...	44	20	8
Harrison	...	..	1	1	4	11	15	21	13	23	18	34	20	2	...	...	163	25	5	2	2	12	10	24	12	18	20	18	17	13	5	11	4	...	...	168	20	13
Jackson	...	...	...	3	4	9	18	13	15	15	10	12	8	1	...	...	108	23	8	2	2	8	12	15	12	9	12	15	9	4	4	4	1	1	...	110	20	10
Jefferson	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	15	6	11	9	21	11	1	...	...	83	25	4	...	1	1	5	4	7	10	16	9	10	9	5	8	4	1	...	90	22	11
Kanawha	...	...	1	6	5	14	27	31	25	22	13	39	19	8	...	...	210	24	22	1	8	13	23	24	26	15	26	19	19	10	8	11	6	...	...	209	21	21
Lewis	...	...	...	1	2	3	11	16	9	11	12	13	7	1	1	...	87	24	6	1	1	3	4	8	9	15	18	5	7	2	3	8	5	...	...	89	21	7
Lincoln*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Logan	...	...	3	2	4	2	6	13	6	5	3	9	5	...	...	...	58	22	7	1	2	4	6	5	4	2	9	9	2	4	5	1	1	1	...	56	21	5
Marion	...	...	1	2	2	8	24	21	14	11	6	38	4	2	...	...	133	24	5	...	...	4	9	18	22	10	13	17	10	16	5	8	4	...	...	136	21	8
Marshall	...	...	...	2	3	6	12	12	9	7	11	23	9	1	1	...	96	25	4	...	...	2	4	16	12	10	13	9	14	2	4	7	3	1	...	97	21	5
Mason	...	...	1	3	5	5	7	13	11	8	12	15	5	...	...	...	85	23	6	1	...	1	4	3	18	9	12	12	5	6	8	1	5	3	...	87	20	8

*This county formed by act of Legislature, February 23d, 1867.

TABLE I.—*Continued.*

COUNTY	MALES.																			FEMALES.																
	15 Years.	16 Years.	17 Years.	18 Years.	19 Years.	20 Years.	21 Years.	22 Years.	23 Years.	24 Years.	25 Years.	25 to 30.	30 to 40.	40 to 50.	50 to 60.	60 to 70.	Total.	Av. Age.	Married Widows.	14 Years.	15 Years.	16 Years.	17 Years.	18 Years.	19 Years.	20 Years.	21 Years.	22 Years	23 Years.	24 Years.	25 Years.	25 to 30.	30 to 40.	40 to 50.	50 to 60.	Total.	Av. Age.	Married Widow'rs
Mercer	...	...	...	2	5	3	8	3	12	5	4	14	10	1	...	...	67	24	6	...	1	7	8	10	3	12	4	8	4	3	...	7	1	3	...	71	22	9
Mineral	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	2	3	5	...	1	...	15	29	1	...	...	...	2	2	1	2	...	3	1	...	...	3	2	1	...	17	24	3
Monongalia	...	...	...	...	1	5	11	14	11	7	8	19	7	...	...	...	83	22	...	...	...	...	4	14	7	11	13	13	6	5	8	15	2	3	1	102	22	18
Monroe	...	...	...	1	2	6	15	16	11	6	14	24	17	1	...	...	113	25	9	...	3	4	3	7	9	16	15	20	11	5	9	10	14	2	...	128	23	23
Morgan	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	2	4	3	5	4	3	2	...	...	26	26	...	...	...	1	4	3	3	5	1	4	...	6	...	1	1	...	...	29	20	3
McDowell	...	...	1	...	2	...	2	1	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	9	24	4	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	6	21	1
Nicholas	...	...	1	3	3	6	15	3	5	6	5	12	10	1	...	...	70	24	4	1	1	4	9	13	4	8	10	9	2	5	1	1	1	1	...	70	20	5
Ohio	...	...	...	...	2	9	10	14	34	10	25	63	37	4	...	1	209	26	14	...	...	2	7	16	22	20	27	29	26	16	10	22	10	4	1	214	22	21
Pendleton	...	...	...	...	1	3	4	5	2	11	4	18	10	2	...	...	60	26	3	...	1	...	5	6	8	8	6	7	6	3	1	7	7	1	...	66	22	9
Pleasants	...	..	...	1	...	2	2	4	3	4	1	10	2	...	...	...	29	24	1	...	...	2	1	4	4	6	4	3	2	1	...	2	1	...	...	30	20	2
Pocahontas	...	...	...	...	2	4	3	4	5	2	2	2	4	...	1	...	29	24	2	..	...	...	2	2	1	3	8	3	3	1	...	5	4	...	1	33	24	4
Preston	..	...	...	...	4	8	15	22	9	12	5	23	10	1	...	...	109	25	8	...	...	4	8	16	10	12	18	13	7	5	4	6	6	1	...	110	21	9
Putnam	...	...	1	...	3	4	10	8	9	1	4	9	12	...	...	...	61	24	1	1	3	4	4	8	10	6	7	7	2	1	2	3	3	...	...	61	20	2
Raleigh	...	...	...	...	1	4	7	3	9	3	1	5	5	1	1	...	36	25	2	1	...	3	2	4	4	4	4	3	3	2	2	3	2	...	...	39	22	7
Randolph	...	...	...	...	1	1	6	11	4	1	7	15	3	1	...	...	50	24	4	...	...	1	1	3	6	6	10	5	5	6	...	5	4	...	...	50	22	4
Ritchie	...	...	...	1	3	3	12	8	7	7	5	13	4	1	...	...	64	24	4	...	2	3	4	8	6	7	9	8	4	5	2	5	1	2	...	66	21	6
Roane	...	...	...	3	1	6	9	13	11	9	7	11	2	...	...	...	72	23	6	...	...	6	6	7	16	4	10	5	7	4	3	2	...	...	...	70	20	40
Taylor	...	1	...	2	4	8	8	9	10	8	5	23	8	1	1	...	88	24	6	1	1	1	6	8	14	10	11	7	7	2	8	8	4	1	...	89	22	7
Tucker	...	...	1	2	3	1	8	5	6	3	...	5	1	...	...	...	35	22	2	...	1	2	2	9	3	2	6	5	1	1	2	...	1	...	...	35	20	2
Tyler	...	...	...	...	4	10	15	10	16	8	5	13	5	...	1	...	87	23	3	1	...	8	7	13	10	18	7	9	5	3	...	3	4	1	...	89	20	5
Upshur	...	...	...	5	7	9	12	9	15	14	6	15	7	1	...	...	100	23	8	1	3	9	8	16	6	12	17	8	5	1	2	4	2	1	...	95	20	5
Wayne*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Webster	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	1	2	2	3	...	...	1	...	12	26	1	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	2	1	4	2	1	1	...	...	...	14	22	3
Wetzel	...	...	1	...	1	2	5	8	2	5	1	6	3	1	..	...	35	24	4	...	...	1	2	6	4	3	6	5	3	1	...	4	3	...	...	38	21	7
Wirt	...	...	...	2	1	...	8	10	7	10	5	15	3	1	...	...	62	24	2	...	...	4	6	7	4	8	15	7	4	6	1	2	...	...	...	64	20	4
Wood	...	...	..	1	2	7	18	23	14	22	14	42	19	1	...	...	163	25	13	...	2	5	12	17	13	28	20	20	16	7	13	14	7	2	...	176	21	6
Wyoming	...	...	...	3	10	2	9	9	...	6	2	6	3	...	...	...	50	22	5	...	2	4	4	3	7	5	6	5	3	3	2	2	...	...	...	46	20	1
Total	2	2	15	63	291	210	461	495	412	369	320	761	377	45	11	1	3673	...	222	16	50	157	252	443	389	410	520	420	312	218	168	271	149	39	4	3818	...	409

*No Returns.

TABLE II.

ABSTRACT from Returns of Register of Marriages for 1866, showing the Number of Marriages during each month in the year, Occupation of the Husband, and Condition of the Parties married.

COUNTY.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	OCCUPATION OF HUSBAND.													HUSBAND.		WIFE.		Total.
													Farmer.	Laborer.	Mechanic.	Merchant.	Physician.	Attorney.	Minister.	Clerk.	Teacher.	Agent.	Engineman	Artist.	Boatman.	Mis'laneous	Single.	Widowed.	Single.	Widowed.	
Barbour	18	5	6	10	11	7	2	5	7	8	16	11	92	1	7	3	1	1						1			93	13	100	6	106
Berkeley	10	7	8	11	13	6	3	10	8	16	12	11	56	21	28	5	1		1	1	1			1			105	10	110	5	115
Boone	3	6	4	6	2	3	8	4	4	3	8	12	57	1	3											2	53	10	55	8	63
Braxton	10	5	1	4	5	6	5	1	5	11	5	11	72		2	2											67	9	68	8	76
Brooke	2		2	2	4	1		8	5	3	2	4	13	6	1					1			1		1	3	24	2	26		26
Cabell	10	10	9	8	9	2	4	10	4	7	9	8	73		10	3	1	1					1	1			73	17	77	13	90
Calhoun	3	3	4	4	2	4	4	2	3	1	2	3	32		2						1						30	5	33	2	35
Clay	2	3	5	3	2			1	3	1		3	23														18	5	20	3	23
Doddridge	10	5	5	4	5	4	3	4	5	6	7	3	54	3	2					1			1				56	5	58	3	61
Fayette	4	3	4	5	3	3	4	6	10	7	5	5	46	9	1	2				1							51	8	53	6	59
Gilmer	6	4	4	4	8	3	3	5	3	6	12	4	60	1	1												58	4	55	7	62
Grant			1	2	4	1	2	3	4	5	3	1	21	2	2	1						1					23	4	25	2	27
Greenbrier	13	10	11	14	2	11	5	8	9	17	13	10	97	3	11	5	1	3	1		2						109	14	112	11	123
Hampshire	22	15	18	9	1		3	3	5	4	9	13	83	10	7			1			1						89	13	98	4	102
Hancock	3	4	3	1	2	3	2	1	6	2	4	5	19	6	9	1									1		29	7	34	2	36
Hardy		1	1	1	3	6	1	8	7	6	8	5	39	1	7												38	9	44	3	47
Harrison	14	9	19	25	11	12	6	9	17	24	18	24	145	13	15	7	1	1		1	2					3	163	25	168	20	188
Jackson	12	17	15	13	18	6	6	12	9	5	11	13	105	2	12	5	1	1								1	108	19	110	17	127
Jefferson	9	5	7	2	8	3	4	7	8	11	13	20	37	28	18	6		1		4						3	83	14	90	7	97

TABLE II.—*Continued.*

COUNTY.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	OCCUPATION OF HUSBAND.													HUSBAND.		WIFE.		Total.
													Farmer.	Laborer.	Mechanic.	Merchant.	Physician.	Attorney.	Minister.	Clerk.	Teacher.	Agent.	Engineman	Artist.	Boatman.	Mis'laneous	Single.	Widowed.	Single.	Widowed.	
Kanawha	24	21	17	28	24	18	14	20	22	16	11	29	173	20	27	3	2	1		3	1		2		8	4	210	34	209	35	244
Lewis	5	8	12	11	4	2	6	6	11	15	8	13	83	1	13	3	1										87	14	89	12	101
Lincoln*																															
Logan	8	7	10	7	2	2	9	7	5	6	3	1	67														58	9	56	11	67
Marion	11	14	19	18	10	11	14	8	11	11	14	12	121	10	9	8	1	1		1	1					1	133	20	136	17	153
Marshall	9	4	15	4	4	6	9	10	9	21	8	11	89	5	12					1					1	2	93	14	97	13	110
Mason	7	6	7	7	9	6	9	2	8	10	14	10	57	13	16		1		1		1		1		2	6	85	10	87	8	95
Mercer	9	10	11	5	2	8	3	4	6	8	5	8	72		1	4	1			1							67	12	71	8	79
Mineral						2	1	1	3	2	8	3	10	4	5					1							15	5	17	3	20
Monongalia	9	9	17	10	6	5	9	5	12	9	11	6	74		23	4	1	1				1	1	1	1	1	83	25	102	6	108
Monroe	18	12	13	7	10	9	6	10	8	10	17	22	119	3	12	1	2	2	2	1							113	29	128	14	142
Morgan	3	3	3	3	2	3		1	1	3	3	5	18	5	5					1					1		26	4	29	1	30
McDowell	2			1		1	1		1	1	2	1	10														9	1	6	4	10
Nicholas	10	6	5	3	5	4	6	4	1	7	14	11	72	1	2	1											70	6	70	6	76
Ohio	14	24	16	18	15	27	17	17	29	28	23	20	49	69	59	20	3	3	3	13	4		2	1	2	20	209	39	214	34	248
Pendleton	4	3	6	7	4	8	4	8	7	7	9	7	63	1	5	2			1	1	1						60	14	66	8	74
Pleasants	1	1	4	1		4	2	3	3	6	3	6	22	1	6	1		1	1		1					1	29	5	30	4	34
Pocahontas	4	4	7	2	2		2	1	2	8	2	2	32		3	1				1							29	8	33	4	37
Preston	9	7	19	11	5	10	11	5	11	10	10	14	97	6	13	7								1		1	109	16	110	15	125

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TABLE II.—*Continued.*

COUNTY.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	OCCUPATION OF HUSBAND.													HUSBAND.		WIFE.		Total.
													Farmer.	Laborer.	Mechanic.	Merchant.	Physician.	Attorney.	Minister.	Clerk.	Teacher.	Agent.	Engineman	Artist.	Boatman.	Mis'laneous	Single.	Widowed.	Single.	Widowed.	
Putnam	9	6	6	8	3	3	4	3	8	5	4	9	59		4	2	1				1				1		61	7	61	7	68
Raleigh	7	1	5	3	3	2		4	5	10	1	6	43		3		1										36	11	39	8	47
Randolph	2	1	3	3	8	6	8		6	7	8	3	52		2	1											50	5	50	5	55
Ritchie	7	1	6	6	4	7	6	5	2	11	8	9	53	6	6	6		1									64	8	66	6	72
Roane	4	3	11	6	3	5	5	15	11	7	4	8	77		2	2	1										72	10	70	12	82
Taylor	13	11	14	14	4	4	5	6	8	7	8	5	70	8	15	3	2									1	88	11	89	10	99
Tucker	6	3	6	5	2	1	1	1	4	3		5	34		3												35	2	35	2	37
Tyler	1	9	10	9	8	5	4	6	16	9	8	9	81		9	3				1							87	7	89	5	94
Upshur	10	14	5	12	6	6	6	2	10	15	14	10	95		8	2										5	100	10	95	15	110
Wayne*																															
Webster	1	4	1	2	1	3	1		1		2		14		1											1	12	4	14	2	16
Wetzel	2	2	1	7	1	3	4	5	5	3	8	6	38	1	5	1		1								1	35	12	38	9	47
Wirt	1	5	6	5	6	4	4	9	8	10	10	7	37	7	14	3	1		1	2			3			4	62	10	64	8	72
Wood	17	13	18	14	16	11	15	13	22	25	22	17	99	28	41	12		4	1	1		3	2	1	5	6	163	40	176	27	203
Wyoming	6	7	3	1	1	3	1	10	5	10	4	3	53		1												50	4	46	8	54
Total	384	331	410	366	270	270	252	291	383	444	426	445	3157	296	463	130	24	24	12	37	17	5	14	7	23	63	3673	599	3818	454	4272

*No Returns.

TABLE III.

ABSTRACT from Register of Marriages for 1866, showing the Marriages of Colored Persons where such Marriages were reported separately; the Age at which parties Married for the First Time; also the average age, and the number who Married persons in Widowhood.

COUNTY.	MALES.																			FEMALES.																		
	15 years.	16 years.	17 years.	18 years.	19 years.	20 years.	21 years.	22 years.	23 years.	24 years.	25 years.	25 to 30 yrs.	30 to 40 yrs.	40 to 50 yrs.	50 to 60 yrs.	60 to 70 yrs.	Total.	Average Age.	Married Widows.	14 years.	15 years.	16 years.	17 years.	18 years.	19 years.	20 years.	21 years.	22 years.	23 years.	24 years.	25 years.	25 to 30 yrs.	30 to 40 yrs.	40 to 50 yrs.	50 to 60 yrs.	Total.	Average Age.	Married Widowers.
Cabell	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	1	--	--	--	--	2	25	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2	19	--
Greenbrier	--	--	--	--	--	1	1	--	1	--	--	1	2	2	--	--	8	30	1	--	--	--	2	--	--	1	1	1	1	--	--	1	1	1	--	9	24	2
Hardy	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	2	24	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2	20	--
Harrison	--	--	--	--	--	--	2	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	3	23	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	3	--	1	--	1	--	--	6	27	3
Jefferson	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	--	--	3	23	1	--	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2	18	--
Kanawha*	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Mason	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	1	1	--	--	3	33	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	2	--	--	--	--	1	--	4	29	1
Nicholas	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	21	1
Taylor	--	1	--	--	--	--	1	--	2	1	—	1	--	1	--	--	7	25	2	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	1	--	1	--	1	--	1	--	--	5	23	1
Upshur	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	21	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	1	33	--
Wyoming	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2	21	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	19	--
Total	--	1	--	--	1	1	7	--	4	3	1	6	3	4	--	--	31	--	4	--	1	--	5	1	1	3	5	1	8	--	2	1	4	2	--	34	--	8

*Age not given. Total number of colored persons, 8.

TABLE IV.

Showing the Number of Marriages of Colored Persons, where such Marriages were reported separately, during each Month in the Year, Occupation of the Husband, and Condition of the parties Married.

County.	January.	Feburary.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Occupation of Husband.														Husband.		Wife.		Total.
													Farmer.	Laborer.	Mechanic.	Merchant.	Physician.	Attorney.	Minister.	Clerk.	Teacher.	Agent.	Engineman.	Artist.	Boatman.	Miscellaneous.	Single.	Widowers.	Single.	Widowed.	
Cabell	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	2
Greenbrier	1	1	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	2	5	6	5	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	6	9	5	14
Hardy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	2
Harrison	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	3	...	5	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	6	...	6
Jefferson	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	2	2	4
Kanawha*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mason	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	1	1	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	4	...	4
Nicholas	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1
Taylor	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	2	2	2	8	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	2	5	4	9
Upshur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1
Wyoming	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	2
Total	1	2	2	2	1	2	3	6	...	6	7	13	22	18	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31	14	34	11	45

*Date not given, occupation, nor condition. Whole number of colored marriages, 8.

TABLE V.

Abstract from Returns of Births for 1866—Showing the total number of Births and the number of each Sex in each month during the year.

COUNTY.	White.	Colored.	BORN.		JAN.		FEB.		MARCH		APRIL.		MAY.		JUNE.		JULY.		AUG.		SEPT.		OCT.		NOV.		DEC.		DATE NOT GIVEN.		TOTAL OF EACH SEX.		Aggregate.
			Alive.	Dead.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	
Barbour	235	8	243	.....	6	1	10	9	14	7	15	12	8	10	7	12	13	10	13	14	8	6	18	17	6	8	9	10	.....	.....	127	116	243
Berkeley	352	20	367	5	18	6	16	9	17	17	17	16	7	12	14	13	21	13	18	18	20	22	12	19	15	18	13	18	3	.....	191	181	372
Boone	145	.....	143	2	6	7	5	2	8	6	6	8	1	11	4	3	9	10	7	7	7	4	11	6	5	4	3	5	.....	.....	72	73	145
Braxton	216	1	216	1	2	3	4	1	5	10	12	15	9	15	4	7	9	8	15	12	11	14	4	13	12	6	10	12	1	2	99	118	217
Brooke	65	.....	63	2	.....	.....	2	1	5	2	5	2	7	7	1	3	3	4	4	4	6	2	2	2	2	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	38	27	65
Cabell	187	.....	184	3	2	6	8	11	6	9	14	7	11	6	11	4	5	11	8	5	11	6	10	6	6	9	9	4	2	.....	103	84	187
Calhoun	77	.....	77	.....	.....	8	2	1	4	4	4	5	2	1	7	3	1	2	4	2	5	5	4	2	3	1	4	3	.....	.....	40	37	77
Clay	60	.....	59	1	1	1	4	.....	1	2	1	.....	5	3	4	1	1	2	4	4	3	5	5	1	1	4	5	2	.....	.....	35	25	60
Doddridge	234	1	235	.....	5	5	14	13	7	9	9	12	11	5	8	8	14	8	10	12	16	7	9	10	7	11	14	8	2	1	126	109	235
Fayette	185	.....	177	8	5	4	7	4	12	12	13	7	4	9	6	3	7	5	8	7	15	4	12	13	5	7	10	5	.....	1	104	81	185
Gilmer	122	.....	121	1	4	3	2	4	3	8	6	6	3	4	8	4	5	7	6	7	6	2	4	8	3	8	6	4	1	.....	57	65	122
Grant	84	2	83	3	3	2	3	2	1	4	1	4	2	5	1	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	2	3	1	2	.....	.....	3	.....	20	22	42	44	86
Greenbrier	234	8	234	8	7	8	7	8	13	12	12	9	7	12	10	11	11	10	7	10	11	12	13	10	15	12	9	6	.....	.....	122	120	242
Hampshire	125	4	129	.....	5	3	7	7	3	6	3	4	8	7	4	4	5	4	2	9	10	4	7	5	6	8	5	3	.....	.....	65	64	129
Hancock	104	.....	103	1	1	2	2	2	4	4	7	8	4	6	3	4	6	1	4	7	.....	5	10	6	6	3	3	5	.....	1	50	54	100
Hardy	114	6	117	3	1	3	6	6	4	4	7	6	8	6	4	8	6	2	3	4	11	7	7	1	1	2	7	6	.....	.....	65	55	120
Harrison	380	.....	375	5	4	10	16	13	9	13	17	18	13	15	17	20	30	9	15	19	16	22	21	10	13	13	21	18	1	1	199	181	380
Jackson	294	.....	294	.....	10	11	10	14	2	15	13	15	11	21	15	13	15	10	19	12	13	10	9	11	11	13	10	11	.....	.....	138	156	294
Jefferson	65	8	73	.....	3	3	3	1	4	2	5	2	3	3	3	2	6	1	3	2	3	7	3	1	2	3	4	4	.....	.....	42	31	73
Kanawha	528	16	518	26	10	14	21	15	21	20	27	29	20	17	23	25	28	23	28	23	17	29	22	22	24	22	21	27	10	6	272	472	544
Lewis	318	4	315	7	10	7	18	8	24	8	17	9	16	12	16	17	12	16	18	9	16	8	12	9	18	20	10	12	.....	.....	187	135	322
Lincoln	128	.....	127	1	3	2	5	6	6	7	8	3	6	5	2	5	8	5	10	4	5	11	4	4	5	2	6	5	.....	1	68	60	128
Logan	172	1	168	5	7	5	8	5	4	5	5	5	4	6	6	7	6	8	9	6	15	6	8	7	10	12	12	6	.....	1	94	79	173
Marion	457	4	449	12	20	16	15	20	24	25	30	17	28	22	24	13	17	11	16	15	20	21	21	15	18	13	21	19	.....	.....	254	207	461
Marshall	212	.....	212	.....	5	8	10	4	5	11	9	11	12	5	9	14	7	5	12	13	14	11	9	8	5	10	10	5	.....	.....	107	105	212
Mason	425	1	416	10	11	7	16	15	17	20	18	25	20	14	20	23	16	15	13	27	16	15	16	29	15	20	19	16	1	2	198	228	426
Mercer	230	1	231	.....	3	6	11	11	14	11	10	10	9	11	9	8	9	9	5	13	12	12	12	12	6	8	8	12	.....	.....	108	123	231
Mineral	153	2	149	6	4	7	5	5	8	7	4	9	7	12	5	10	3	7	9	7	9	3	7	4	2	9	8	3	.....	1	71	84	155
Monongalia	234	2	227	9	4	3	3	4	7	15	14	18	9	10	15	8	7	6	14	17	10	15	11	8	10	7	7	12	.....	2	111	125	236
Monroe	185	6	189	2	6	15	6	5	2	4	8	4	17	7	5	5	8	9	16	6	10	6	18	10	9	4	6	5	.....	.....	111	80	191
Morgan	150	.....	149	1	7	3	6	8	6	7	8	3	5	4	6	6	4	5	10	3	7	5	6	8	9	5	5	11	2	1	81	69	150
McDowell	12	.....	12	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	1	2	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1	1	1	.....	.....	.....	7	5	12
Nicholas	136	.....	135	1	3	2	5	7	9	9	9	4	4	8	7	4	6	3	5	6	4	5	10	4	3	3	9	4	2	1	76	60	136
Ohio	545	3	546	2	13	20	14	15	28	32	26	17	31	24	21	27	29	22	30	24	21	22	23	26	23	18	31	21	.....	.....	280	268	548
Pendleton	149	3	152	.....	5	5	4	8	7	4	6	3	4	6	7	5	6	7	11	6	8	3	6	5	8	10	10	8	.....	.....	82	70	152
Pleasants	90	.....	89	1	6	3	2	4	3	6	1	4	3	2	5	3	4	3	3	3	7	2	2	8	6	3	2	5	.....	.....	44	46	90

TABLE V.—*Continued.*

Abstract from Returns of Births for 1866—Showing the total number of Births and the number of each Sex in each month during the year.

COUNTY.	White.	Colored.	BORN.		JAN.		FEB.		MARCH		APRIL.		MAY.		JUNE.		JULY.		AUG.		SEPT.		OCT.		NOV.		DEC.		DATE NOT GIVEN.		TOTAL OF EACH SEX.		Aggregate.
			Alive.	Dead.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	
Pocahontas	67	.....	67	.....	2	4	.....	2	4	.....	5	3	4	4	4	2	1	3	.....	4	5	3	1	3	6	2	4	1	.....	.....	36	31	67
Preston	415	.....	409	6	19	8	12	16	23	21	24	17	16	14	14	19	12	12	21	9	19	17	19	24	20	11	23	22	2	1	224	191	415
Putnam	130	3	228	5	6	4	9	6	6	12	11	11	19	16	10	7	5	12	7	13	8	9	11	2	12	8	11	16	2	.....	123	110	233
Raleigh	107	.....	103	4	2	2	4	7	7	3	4	4	7	1	1	7	6	5	6	2	3	3	2	5	4	6	10	3	.....	.....	56	51	107
Randolph	135	.....	135	.....	3	6	5	5	7	5	4	7	9	5	6	8	4	5	5	7	8	3	2	3	1	10	5	8	2	2	61	74	135
Ritchie	117	.....	117	.....	1	1	2	2	.....	4	6	6	6	7	7	7	5	5	4	3	6	3	14	9	7	.....	7	5	.....	.....	65	52	117
Roane	225	.....	221	4	10	6	5	6	9	6	14	6	9	12	12	9	11	16	12	7	9	7	11	12	7	9	12	6	.....	.....	121	104	225
Taylor	285	3	285	3	24	18	17	21	30	15	9	6	11	4	7	8	10	8	6	7	14	12	8	8	10	10	15	9	1	.....	162	126	288
Tucker	65	.....	65	.....	1	1	1	5	3	3	3	3	2	3	1	1	4	2	2	6	.....	5	1	5	4	3	5	2	.....	.....	26	39	65
Tyler	272	.....	268	3	8	9	8	5	14	9	10	9	12	13	9	14	10	17	11	10	14	16	10	13	12	11	17	8	1	1	136	135	271
Upshur	209	2	209	2	7	5	6	11	13	7	13	13	7	12	13	6	7	10	7	8	10	5	4	11	9	10	9	4	2	2	107	104	211
Wayne*	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Webster	50	.....	49	1	1	1	5	2	1	2	1	1	4	2	6	2	2	3	3	1	3	1	3	2	2	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	33	17	50
Wetzel	162	.....	157	5	6	5	6	4	5	2	12	5	9	9	7	7	7	5	10	5	9	7	9	2	7	6	10	7	.....	1	97	65	162
Wirt	117	.....	115	2	5	2	7	1	2	4	7	2	5	5	....	3	8	3	6	4	3	4	9	4	5	3	10	4	8	3	75	42	117
Wood	463	8	462	9	17	19	16	14	15	18	20	18	9	20	22	19	17	18	25	28	19	10	13	20	21	25	28	30	4	6	226	245	471
Wyoming	93	.....	91	2	5	2	2	7	3	.....	1	3	4	6	6	6	5	6	7	8	4	.....	5	2	5	1	3	1	.....	.....	50	43	93
Total	10413	117	10358	172	317	303	383	362	452	448	511	441	443	454	442	429	456	401	491	459	499	427	474	449	424	413	505	421	67	59	5464	5066	10530

*No Returns.

TABLE VI.

ABSTRACT from Register of Deaths for 1866—Showing the number of Deaths of each Sex in each month during the year.

COUNTY.	CONDITION		JAN.		FEB.		MARCH.		APRIL.		MAY.		JUNE.		JULY.		AUG.		SEPT.		OCT.		NOV.		DEC.		DATE NOT GIVEN		TOTAL OF EACH SEX.		Aggregate.
	Married.	Single.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	
Barbour	...	...	...	4	...	1	3	2	2	1	...	1	1	..	4	...	2	2	2	3	3	...	1	3	...	1	1	...	19	18	37
Berkeley	23	69	2	1	1	5	8	4	5	4	5	4	1	1	4	3	2	2	3	1	4	7	8	7	5	4	1	...	49	43	92
Boone	8	21	1	1	...	...	2	2	1	4	1	1	1	...	...	2	1	3	1	1	1	...	2	1	...	2	1	...	12	17	29
Braxton	25	25	...	...	...	3	1	1	2	3	2	2	3	...	2	2	5	3	3	2	2	1	5	1	2	1	2	2	29	21	50
Brooke	8	18	1	...	1	...	...	1	2	2	1	...	...	3	...	3	1	2	...	1	...	6	1	...	...	1	...	...	7	19	26
Cabell	12	32	2	1	1	1	3	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	8	4	5	1	...	1	2	1	1	...	...	20	24	44
Calhoun	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	5	6	11
Clay	3	20	2	...	3	1	...	1	2	...	...	...	1	...	1	2	1	...	...	2	2	3	1	1	...	...	...	...	13	10	23
Doddridge	7	42	...	1	3	...	4	1	...	1	1	1	2	1	1	2	3	4	7	5	1	6	1	2	2	...	...	...	25	24	49
Fayette	19	22	1	1	2	3	3	2	3	1	...	3	1	1	2	...	3	4	1	1	1	1	2	3	...	2	...	...	19	22	41
Gilmer	8	16	2	2	...	2	...	...	...	1	1	...	2	...	...	...	3	1	1	2	4	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	15	9	24
Grant	9	17	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	1	3	...	1	1	1	...	1	1	1	...	...	1	4	6	12	14	26
Greenbrier	13	45	3	...	1	3	5	3	3	3	3	2	3	2	1	1	1	7	1	3	2	3	2	2	2	2	...	...	27	31	58
Hampshire	8	31	...	3	...	1	1	2	3	2	4	...	1	1	2	...	4	2	...	2	5	...	2	3	1	...	...	...	23	16	39
Hancock	13	19	...	...	2	3	...	1	2	1	1	2	...	1	2	2	1	2	1	1	...	3	1	2	1	...	1	2	12	20	32
Hardy	16	25	...	1	1	4	...	4	3	1	...	1	3	2	...	3	1	2	1	3	2	1	3	1	2	2	...	...	16	25	41
Harrison	19	55	3	...	3	2	4	4	3	6	1	4	4	4	3	1	4	3	2	4	1	4	3	6	3	2	...	...	34	40	74
Jackson	15	42	3	1	2	1	...	5	1	3	1	3	3	4	3	2	4	...	2	2	4	6	2	3	1	1	...	...	26	31	57
Jefferson	11	31	1	2	1	4	1	...	2	2	...	1	3	3	1	1	1	5	2	3	2	1	1	...	4	1	...	...	19	23	42
Kanawha	31	82	4	5	3	2	4	2	5	6	5	8	3	2	11	4	8	6	4	5	9	4	3	2	4	3	1	...	64	49	113
Lewis	29	26	1	...	1	1	5	4	2	2	2	3	...	1	...	3	6	3	2	1	3	1	5	2	1	5	1	...	29	26	55
Lincoln	9	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	5	...	1	...	...	1	...	2	5	...	1	1	1	1	...	3	1	...	...	12	14	26
Logan	6	28	1	3	3	...	1	2	...	...	1	1	2	1	1	1	3	3	4	2	1	1	...	2	1	...	...	...	18	16	34
Marion	33	74	3	4	8	5	6	7	4	6	9	4	2	6	3	2	3	...	6	7	4	1	3	3	5	4	1	1	57	50	107
Marshall	16	34	1	4	3	4	1	2	2	2	1	4	1	1	2	...	2	1	3	1	4	2	6	1	1	1	...	...	27	23	50
Mason	...	...	4	...	6	1	4	9	5	7	4	4	3	4	6	5	10	9	6	6	8	8	4	4	4	3	...	...	64	60	124
Mercer	2	16	1	..	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	3	...	2	1	...	...	3	...	1	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	5	13	18

TABLE VI.—*Continued.*

COUNTY.	CONDITION.		JAN.		FEB.		MAR.		APRIL.		MAY.		JUNE.		JULY.		AUG		SEPT.		OCT.		NOV.		DEC.		DATE NOT GIVEN		TOTAL OF EACH SEX.		Aggregate.
	Married.	Single.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	
Mineral	11	38	...	1	1	1	1	1	4	3	2	1	3	3	2	1	7	4	2	7	1	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	25	24	49
Monongalia	20	50	1	2	5	1	6	10	1	4	5	1	1	3	1	4	5	.....	2	4	5	1	2	2	1	3	...	...	35	35	70
Monroe	11	29	...	2	2	1	3	1	1	1	.....	.....	4	2	.....	2	2	2	2	2	6	.....	1	1	...	5	...	...	21	19	40
Morgan	8	25	1	1	1	...	.....	2	3	2	1	7	1	...	3	.....	.....	2	2	1	1	1	1	...	1	1	...	1	15	18	33
McDowell	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....
Nicholas	11	16	...	2	...	4	1	.....	1	3	1	1	1	...	1	.....	2	1	2	1	1	2	...	2	1	...	...	...	11	16	27
Ohio	.....	.....	8	4	22	13	18	13	20	12	17	12	9	2	17	15	16	14	14	14	18	18	14	13	20	10	...	1	193	141	334
Pendleton	26	18	1	...	...	1	1	5	2	5	.....	.....	3	3	1	3	1	2	3	2	1	1	5	1	1	1	1	...	20	24	44
Pleasants	4	9	...	1	...	...	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	2	.....	.....	2	2	.....	2	.....	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	4	9	13
Pocahontas	2	2	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1	...	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	2	4
Preston	17	37	2	...	1	1	5	3	4	1	.....	1	...	4	2	3	4	1	1	3	5	4	2	3	...	3	1	...	27	27	54
Putnam	15	35	3	1	...	3	.....	1	4	1	3	3	1	2	2	1	5	6	3	2	2	1	1	1	3	...	1	...	28	22	50
Raleigh	7	13	...	1	...	2	2	1	.....	3	2	1	...	..	.....	1	1	1	1	1	.....	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	8	12	20
Randolph	8	17	1	...	2	3	3	2	.....	.....	3	3	...	1	.....	1	2	1	.....	.....	1	.....	...	...	...	1	1	...	13	12	25
Ritchie	3	5	...	...	...	1	.....	.....	1	.....	1	.....	...	...	.....	.....	1	1	.....	.....	1	..	...	...	1	1	...	...	5	3	8
Roane	15	10	...	...	2	2	1	.....	.....	1	1	2	1	1	.....	.....	2	1	1	3	.....	2	1	...	3	1	...	...	12	13	25
Taylor	23	41	4	5	8	3	6	6	6	4	.....	3	3	1	4	1	2	1	3	1	1	.....	...	...	...	2	...	...	37	27	64
Tucker	4	10	...	...	...	1	.....	1	1	.....	.....	.....	1	1	2	.....	.....	.....	1	1	.....	1	2	...	1	1	...	...	8	6	14
Tyler	14	59	7	3	2	6	5	4	.....	4	1	8	...	...	3	1	1	3	6	1	1	2	3	4	2	6	...	...	31	42	73
Upshur	8	21	2	...	...	2	1	4	1	1	.....	5	...	...	.....	1	2	.....	1	.....	1	5	...	...	...	1	1	1	9	20	29
Wayne*	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	..	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....
Webster	3	2	1	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	...	...	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	1	1	...	...	...	3	2	5
Wetzel	9	34	3	2	...	...	3	2	3	2	1	1	4	1	2	3	1	1	3	5	1	3	...	...	...	2	...	...	21	22	43
Wirt	9	24	4	...	1	...	3	.....	.....	2	1	.....	1	2	.....	1	1	3	2	3	4	1	...	2	...	1	...	1	17	16	33
Wood	6	101	4	3	1	5	3	9	2	5	7	5	3	4	9	3	9	3	6	2	4	2	4	1	5	6	...	2	57	50	107
Wyoming	1	5	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	1	.....	1	1	...	...	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	1	...	...	4	2	6
Total	.....	.....	78	64	93	99	121	127	115	121	92	111	78	74	105	85	141	130	113	120	121	110	98	83	91	87	18	17	1264	1228	2492

*No Returns.

TABLE VII.

AASTRACT from Register of Deaths for 1866, showing the number of Deaths of each sex at different ages.

COUNTY.	White.	Colored.	Under 1 year.		From 1 to 5.		From 5 to 10.		From 10 to 20		From 20 to 30.		From 30 to 40.		From 40 to 50.		From 50 to 60		From 60 to 70		From 70 to 80		From 80 to 90		From 90 to 100		Over 100.		Age not given.		Total of each sex.		Aggregate.
			Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Males.	Females.	
Barbour	37	...	4	2	7	6	1	...	...	1	1	3	1	.....	2	...	...	3	1	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	19	18	37
Berkeley	80	12	9	11	8	1	2	3	3	6	3	5	4	8	5	3	4	1	5	4	3	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	49	43	92
Boone	28	1	3	2	3	3	1	2	3	1	...	2	.....	4	.....	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	..	1	1	12	17	29
Braxton	48	2	5	2	2	1	2	1	2	.....	1	2	.....	2	2	1	1	1	3	3	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	8	8	29	21	50
Brooke	26	—	.....	3	1	3	.....	1	...	.....	1	1	2	2	.....	2	1	3	...	1	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	1	7	19	26
Cabell	44	...	1	2	3	5	2	3	2	3	1	2	2	2	.....	1	1	1	1	...	1	2	...	2	1	...	...	...	5	1	20	24	44
Calhoun	11	...	4	1	.....	.....	.....	...	...	1	...	2	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	5	6	11
Clay	23	...	6	2	3	2	.....	1	1	2	...	1	1	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	13	10	23
Doddridge	49	...	7	4	6	11	3	...	2	5	3	1	.....	2	2	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	24	49
Fayette	41	...	4	6	2	2	2	3	2	1	2	6	.....	1	2	1	1	1	2	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	22	41
Gilmer	24	...	5	1	1	.....	.....	...	4	1	2	2	.....	1	1	1	2	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	15	9	24
Grant	26	...	1	4	4	1	.....	1	1	.....	1	1	1	2	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	3	12	14	26
Greenbrier	52	6	5	6	1	3	1	1	3	3	3	2	.....	2	.....	2	2	1	2	1	4	4	1	...	...	2	...	...	5	4	27	31	58
Hampshire	38	1	4	1	2	3	2	1	2	2	4	2	.....	1	.....	...	2	...	3	1	3	...	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	2	23	16	39
Hancock	32	...	2	4	1	2	.....	1	...	1	3	4	.....	2	.....	...	...	3	1	2	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	12	20	32
Hardy	35	6	6	5	.....	3	.....	1	4	1	1	1	.....	6	.....	1	1	3	1	...	2	2	...	1	..	...	...	...	1	1	16	25	41
Harrison	73	1	6	9	8	6	3	3	1	7	2	5	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	1	1	...	2	2	2	...	...	1	...	...	34	40	74
Jackson	57	...	5	9	7	6	.....	1	3	1	4	5	1	4	.....	...	3	1	3	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	31	57
Jefferson	35	7	3	5	1	.....	.....	2	3	2	4	1	1	.....	1	3	2	2	1	...	1	2	2	2	...	1	...	...	...	3	19	23	42
Kanawha	97	16	8	9	15	9	5	1	4	6	5	5	2	5	4	3	5	1	3	3	2	...	3	1	...	...	...	...	8	6	64	49	113
Lewis	55	...	8	6	1	2	1	1	2	1	2	3	1	5	4	3	...	2	6	2	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	20	26	55
Lincoln	26	...	3	3	3	1	1	...	...	3	1	1	.....	1	1	5	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	14	26
Logan	34	...	12	8	2	2	1	1	...	1	1	.....	1	.....	.....	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	18	16	34
Marion	107	...	13	13	11	3	6	3	6	5	5	8	4	6	1	6	2	1	...	1	4	3	3	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	57	50	107
Marshall	50	...	6	5	3	1	1	3	4	1	3	2	1	5	2	1	1	2	...	2	6	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	27	23	50
Mason	124	...	24	21	10	11	3	3	6	4	3	6	4	3	5	3	4	5	...	1	2	...	2	3	...	...	...	...	1	...	64	60	124
Mercer	16	2	4	8	.....	.....	.....	...	...	2	1	2	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	13	18

TABLE VII.—*Continued.*

COUNTY.	White.	Colored.	Under 1 yr.		From 1 to 5		From 5 to 10.		From 10 to 20.		From 20 to 30.		From 30 to 40.		From 40 to 50		From 50 to 60		From 60 to 70		From 70 to 80		From 80 to 90		From 90 to 100		Over 100.		Age not given.		Total of Each Sex.		Aggregate.
			Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	
Mineral	46	3	7	6	8	7	1	...	2	...	2	3	1	1	...	1	1	1	1	2	...	2	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	24	49
Monongalia	69	1	11	7	3	4	3	5	7	3	...	4	3	2	1	1	...	...	1	1	4	4	1	2	...	2	...	...	1	...	35	35	70
Monroe	40	...	5	4	1	2	4	3	3	2	3	3	1	1	...	1	2	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	21	19	40
Morgan	33	...	3	4	4	3	2	3	...	2	1	2	...	1	...	...	1	...	2	...	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	15	18	33
McDowell	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Nicholas	27	...	1	2	2	3	...	1	2	3	1	1	3	3	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	11	16	27
Ohio	324	10	67	39	19	21	8	8	2	5	13	9	17	7	10	9	20	11	10	5	7	10	4	4	...	...	...	2	16	11	193	141	334
Pendleton	42	2	4	7	2	1	3	1	...	2	4	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	2	2	2	3	2	3	1	...	...	...	...	2	20	24	44
Pleasants	13	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	1	4	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	9	13
Pocahontas	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	2	4
Preston	54	...	10	3	3	6	...	2	4	4	4	1	1	1	..	2	1	...	1	2	2	4	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	27	27	54
Putnam	48	2	7	4	4	3	1	1	3	3	5	5	1	2	2	...	2	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	28	22	50
Raleigh	20	...	1	1	1	4	...	1	...	...	4	2	...	3	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	8	12	20
Randolph	25	...	3	1	1	...	2	1	3	2	...	4	...	1	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	13	12	25
Ritchie	8	...	...	1	2	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	3	8
Roane	25	...	...	...	5	1	...	...	2	2	2	1	...	3	2	...	...	...	...	1	1	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	12	13	25
Taylor	63	1	9	6	8	2	...	2	3	5	...	3	2	2	...	3	7	2	3	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	37	27	64
Tucker	14	...	1	...	2	...	...	1	1	2	1	3	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	6	14
Tyler	73	...	7	7	7	11	5	2	3	4	2	7	3	...	1	3	...	2	...	1	1	1	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	1	31	42	73
Upshur	29	...	1	3	...	1	...	3	4	2	1	2	...	4	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	4	9	20	29
Wayne*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Webster	5	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	5
Wetzel	43	...	7	3	5	5	...	1	2	1	1	4	...	3	1	1	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	2	21	22	43
Wirt	33	...	8	5	4	2	1	...	1	1	1	4	1	1	...	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	17	16	33
Wood	102	5	12	17	10	13	1	...	3	2	4	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	3	...	3	2	1	3	...	...	...	...	17	13	57	50	107
Wyoming	6	...	1	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	4	2	6
Total	2414	78	324	274	197	178	68	74	106	110	111	133	64	105	54	68	74	57	70	50	65	56	35	40	8	7	...	3	88	73	1264	1228	2492

*No Returns.

TABLE VIII.

ABSTRACT from Register of Deaths for 1866, showing the number of Deaths of each sex from the various Diseases.

COUNTY.	Apoplexy.		Bowels, inflam-at'n of.		Brain. Disease of		Cancer.		Cold.		Childbed		Consumption		Croup.		Cholera Morbus & cholera infant'm.		Dia'rhea		Diphtheria.		Dropsy.		Dysentery.		Epilepsy.		Erysipelas.		Fevers.	
	Males.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.
Barbour	--	1	--	--	1	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	1	4	2	2	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	2	--	--	--	--	1	1
Berkeley	--	--	--	--	1	3	1	--	--	--	--	2	3	7	--	1	--	--	--	--	4	4	3	3	2	2	--	--	2	2	2	5
Boone	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	3	2	--	1	2	--	--	--	2	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	3
Braxton	--	--	1	--	3	1	--	1	--	--	--	2	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	2	--	1	1	3	2	--	--	--	--	3	2
Brooke	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2	2	--	1	--	2	--	--	--	2	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--
Cabell	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	--	--	1	2	1	--	2	--	--	3	4
Calhoun	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Clay	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	1	--	1	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	4	1
Doddridge	1	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	4	3	1	5	--	--	1	--	5	6	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	3	2
Fayette	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	3	7	--	--	--	--	2	2	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2	6
Gilmer	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2	3	2	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2	1
Grant	--	--	1	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	3	--	--	1	1	--	--	2	--	2	--	--	--	4
Greenbrier	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	2	2	--	--	--	--	--	--	2	2
Hampshire	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	5	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	5	5	1	--	3	1	--	--	--	--	1	3
Hancock	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	1	1	4	--	1	--	1	1	--	1	1	2	1	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	1
Hardy	1	--	1	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	2	--	--	--	--	1	--	3	3	1	1	--	3	1	--	--	--	1	3
Harrison	1	2	1	--	1	1	--	2	--	--	--	--	2	7	2	2	--	--	1	1	5	1	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	5	9
Jackson	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	2	5	3	5	--	--	2	--	1	--	1	--	1	1	1	1	1	2	4	6
Jefferson	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	3	5	--	--	--	2	1	2	1	3	1	2	--	--	--	--	1	--	2	1

TABLE VIII.—*Continued*

ABSTACT from Register of Deaths for 1866, showing the number of Deaths of each sex from the various Diseases.

COUNTY.	Apoplexy.		Bowels, inflammation of		Brain, Disease of		Cancer.		Cold.		Childbed		Consumption.		Croup.		Cholera Morbus & cholera Infantum		Diarrhea		Diptheria.		Dropsy.		Dysentery.		Epilepsy		Erysipelas.		Fever.	
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Femule.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.
Kanawha	...	...	1	...	1	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	6	6	3	4	...	1	...	3	2	5	1	5	1	1	...	2	...	10	7
Lewis,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	11	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	1	6	2
Lincoln	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	4	1	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	3	2
Logan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	3	2
Marion	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	7	14	5	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	2	3	2	...	...	...	...	8	8
Marshall	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	9	8
Mason	...	1	...	...	3	4	...	...	...	...	...	3	5	10	4	5	2	...	2	...	3	2	4	...	2	3	...	...	3	...	3	3
Mercer	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mineral	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	2	...	...	1	1	...	...	2	1	...	...	2	5	...	1	1	...	2	1
Monongalia	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	8	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	7	11
Monroe	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	3	4	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	5	...	...	...	...	6	6
Morgan	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	1	...	...	...	2	4	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	2
McDowell	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Nicholas	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3	...	...	1	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2
Ohio	5	3	4	1	5	4	2	2	...	...	...	1	13	13	...	2	15	9	3	...	3	1	7	4	3	2	5	6	...	...	13	10
Pendleton	...	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	...	3	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2
Pleasants	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	...
Pocahontas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Preston	1	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	2	3

TABLE VIII.—*Continued.*

ABSTRACT from Register of Deaths for 1866, showing the number of Deaths of each sex from the various Diseases.

COUNTY.	Apoplexy.		Bowels, inflammation of.		Brain, disease of.		Cancer.		Cold.		Chi.db'd		Consumption.		Croup.		Cholera Morbus & cholera infantum		Dia'rhea		Diptheria,		Dropsy.		Dsentery.		Epilepsy		Eryesipelas.		Fever.	
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.
Putnam	..	..	..	..	1	2	1	..	1	..	.	2	7	7	..	1	2	1	.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.	..	2	2
Raleigh	..	..	..	.	..		..	..	..	1	..	2	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	2	1
Randolph	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	...	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	...	...
Ritchie	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	.	..	..	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	1
Roane	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	6	..	..	..	..	.	..	2	2	..	.	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	1
Taylor	..	..	3	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	5	..	..	.	..	..	2	2	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	10
Tucker	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	...	...
Tyler	.	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	...	9	..	..	.	1	3	4	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	3
Upshur	..	..	.	1	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	5	..	..	..	.	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	1	1
Wayne*	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	...
Webster	..	..	..	.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	...
Wetzel	..	..	1	..	1	..	.	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	1	1	2	4	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	4
Wirt	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	1	4	..	2	1	1	..	1	..	.	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	7
Wood	..	1	.	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	...	1	8	3	1	1	..	8	9	4	1	3	1	.	2	1	..	4	1
Wyoming	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	...	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	...
Total	15	15	16	10	25	27	6	10	3	4	..	25	101	178	45	49	38	23	32	25	56	62	44	33	42	42	12	14	12	9	151	155

TABLE VIII.—*Continued.*

ABSTRAT from Register of Deaths for 1866—Showing the number of Deaths of each Sex from the various Diseases.

COUNTY.	Heart, disease of.		Measles		Old Age.		Paralysis.		Pneumonia.		Rheumatism		Scrofula.		Sore Throat.		Small Pox.		Unknown.		Violent or Accidental		Whooping Cough.		Miscellaneous		Total of Each Sex.		Aggregate.
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	
Barbour	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	6	7	1	--	--	--	4	1	19	18	37
Berkeley	2	1	1	--	--	--	3	--	1	3	2	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	14	7	5	--	--	--	3	3	49	43	92
Boone	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	5	2	1	--	1	--	1	2	12	17	29
Braxton	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	1	2	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	4	1	4	--	--	--	4	9	29	21	50
Brooke	--	2	--	--	1	3	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	1	1	1	--	--	2	2	7	19	26
Cabell	--	--	--	--	1	1	1	1	1	1	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	4	1	1	--	--	--	3	10	20	24	44
Calhoun	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	3	3	--	1	--	--	1	1	5	6	11
Clay	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	3	2	--	--	1	3	2	2	13	10	23
Doddridge	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	7	5	--	--	1	--	1	1	25	24	49
Fayette	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	4	2	--	--	--	1	5	2	19	22	41
Gilmer	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	6	2	2	--	--	--	1	1	15	9	24
Grant	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	5	4	1	--	--	--	1	--	12	14	26
Greenbrier	--	--	--	--	1	1	2	1	--	1	1	--	1	1	--	--	--	--	16	18	--	--	--	1	1	1	27	31	58
Hampshire	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	5	5	1	1	--	--	--	1	23	16	39
Hancock	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	3	3	2	--	--	--	1	4	12	20	32
Hardy	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2	2	2	--	--	4	6	16	25	41
Harrison	--	--	--	--	4	3	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	4	5	1	1	--	3	5	2	34	40	74
Jackson	--	1	--	--	--	1	--	--	1	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	2	--	2	3	1	--	--	--	3	3	26	31	57
Jefferson	1	--	--	--	2	6	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2	1	1	--	--	--	3	1	19	23	42
Kanawha	1	2	--	--	2	--	--	1	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	8	14	14	1	--	1	6	7	64	49	113

TABLE VIII.—*Continued.*

ABSTRACT from Register of Deaths for 1866—Showing the number of Deaths of each Sex from the various Diseases.

COUNTY.	Heart, disease.		Measles		Old Age.		Paralysis		Pneumonia.		Rheumatism		Scrofula.		Sore Throat.		Small Pox.		Uunknown.		Violent or Accidental.		Whooping Cough.		Mis'laneous.		Total of Each Sex.		Aggregate.
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	
Lewis	2								2										11	6	2			1	1	1	29	26	55
Lincoln																			2	2					1		12	14	26
Logan						1													8	9		1			4	1	18	16	34
Marion	1	1			7	1		2	2				1	2					13	11	3	1	1	1	3	1	57	50	107
Marshall					4	1													6	6	3	1				2	27	23	50
Mason	1				2	1		1					1	1					19	18	4	3	3	3	3	2	64	60	124
Mercer																			3	6					1	2	5	13	18
Mineral					2	1		1			1		1	1	1					3	4	1	2	2	3	2	25	24	49
Monongalia					1	4													13	4	1				3	2	35	35	70
Monroe					1			1											1		1			2	1	1	21	19	40
Morgan	1						1		1		1								3	1		1	1		2		15	18	33
McDowell																													
Nicholas						1							1						1	5		1	1	2	1		11	16	27
Ohio	6	5			7	9	4		6	3						1			14	7	12	7	1		65	51	193	141	334
Pendleton					2	3	2												5	6	1		1	2	1	2	20	24	44
Pleasants								1	1																	1	4	9	13
Pocahontas					1											1			1								2	2	4
Preston	1	1				5	1				1								5	4	4		1	1	6	2	27	27	54
Putnam									1	1									7	5	2		2	1	2		28	22	50
Raleigh		1			1														1	1	1					1	8	12	20

TABLE VIII.—*Continued.*

ABSTRACT from Register of Deaths for 1866—Showing the number of Deaths of each sex from the various Diseases.

COUNTY.	Heart, disease of.		Measles		Old Age.		Paralysis.		Pneumonia.		Rheumatism		Scrofula.		Sore Throat.		Small Pox.		Unknown.		Violent or Accidental.		Whooping Cough.		Mis'laneous.		Total of Each Sex.		Aggregate.
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	
Randolph	----	----	--	--	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	----	----	----	----	3	3	1	2	----	----	5	1	13	12	25
Ritchie	----	----	--	--	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	----	----	----	----	----	3	----	----	----	----	1	----	5	3	8
Roane	----	----	--	--	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	----	----	----	1	----	3	----	----	----	1	----	12	13	25
Taylor	1	----	--	--	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	----	----	----	----	11	5	----	----	----	----	----	----	37	27	64
Tucker	----	1	--	--	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	----	----	----	----	3	1	----	----	----	----	----	----	8	6	14
Tyler	----	----	--	--	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	----	----	----	----	14	15	1	1	----	3	1	1	31	42	73
Upshur	1	----	--	--	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	----	----	----	----	2	7	----	----	----	----	1	3	9	20	29
Wayne*	----	----	--	--	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Webster	----	----	--	--	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	----	----	----	----	3	2	----	----	----	----	----	----	3	2	5
Wetzel	----	----	--	--	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	----	----	----	----	4	2	2	2	----	1	4	4	21	22	43
Wirt	----	---	--	--	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	----	----	----	----	2	2	----	----	1	----	----	2	17	16	33
Wood	3	----	--	--	1	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	----	----	2	----	17	15	3	1	----	3	3	2	57	50	107
Wyoming	----	----	--	--	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	----	----	----	----	1	1	1	----	----	----	----	----	4	2	6
Total	12	16	1	--	45	48	16	17	22	16	8	1	9	6	4	3	4	----	276	238	78	29	17	31	164	143	1264	1228	2492

*No Returns.

TABLE IX.

MARRIAGES, BIRTHS AND DEATHS FOR 1866—Showing the total number of Marriages, Births and Deaths for the year; also the Population according to the Census of 1860.

COUNTY.	Total Population in 1860.	MARRIAGES.			BIRTHS.			DEATHS.		
		White.	Colored.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Barbour	8,958	106	...	106	127	116	243	19	18	37
Berkeley	12,525	115	...	115	191	181	372	49	43	92
Boone	4,840	63	...	63	72	73	145	12	17	29
Braxton	4,992	76	...	76	99	118	217	29	21	50
Brooke	5,494	26	...	26	38	27	65	7	19	26
Cabell	8,020	90	2	92	103	84	187	20	24	44
Calhoun	2,502	35	..	35	40	37	77	5	6	11
Clay	1,787	23	...	23	35	25	60	13	10	23
Doddridge	5,203	61	...	61	126	109	235	25	24	49
Fayette	5,997	59	...	59	104	81	185	19	22	42
Gilmer	3,759	62	...	62	57	65	122	15	09	24
Grant	.....	27	...	27	42	44	86	12	14	26
Greenbrier	12,211	123	14	137	122	120	242	27	31	58
Hampshire.*	13,913	102	...	102	65	64	129	23	16	39
Hancock	4,445	36	...	36	50	54	104	12	20	32
Hardy†	9,864	47	2	49	65	55	120	16	25	41
Harrison	13,790	188	6	194	199	181	380	34	40	74
Jackson	8,306	127	...	127	138	156	294	26	31	57
Jefferson	14,535	97	4	101	42	31	73	19	23	42
Kanawha	16,150	244	8	252	272	272	544	64	49	113
Lewis	7,999	101	...	101	187	135	322	29	26	55
Lincoln‡	.....	.....	...	.....	68	60	128	12	14	26
Logan	4,938	67	...	67	94	79	173	18	16	34
Marion	12,722	153	...	153	254	207	461	57	50	107
Marshall	12,997	110	...	110	107	105	212	27	23	50
Mason	9,173	95	4	99	198	228	426	64	60	124
Mercer	6,819	79	...	79	108	123	231	05	12	18
Mineral	.....	20	...	20	71	84	155	25	24	49
Monongalia	13,048	108	...	108	111	125	236	35	35	70
Monroe	10,757	142	...	142	111	80	191	21	19	40
Morgan	3,732	30	...	30	81	69	150	15	18	33
McDowell	1,535	10	..	10	7	5	12	.....	.....	.....
Nicholas	4,627	76	1	77	76	60	136	11	16	27
Ohio	22,422	248	...	248	280	268	548	193	141	334
Pendleton	6,164	74	...	74	82	70	152	20	24	44
Pleasants	2,945	34	...	34	44	46	90	4	9	13
Pocahontas	3,958	37	...	37	36	31	67	2	2	4
Preston	13,312	125	...	125	224	191	415	27	27	54
Putnam	6,301	68	..	68	123	110	233	28	22	50
Raleigh	3,367	47	...	47	56	51	107	8	12	20
Randolph	4,990	55	...	55	61	74	135	13	12	25
Ritchie	6,847	72	...	72	65	52	117	5	3	8

*Includes population of Mineral county.
†Includes population of Grant county.
‡New county, formed in 1867 of parts of Cabell, Putnam, Kanawha and Boone counties.

TABLE IX.—*Continued.*

MARRIAGES, BIRTHS AND DEATHS FOR 1866—Showing the total number of Marriages, Births and Deaths for the year; also the population according to the Census of 1866.

COUNTY.	Total Population in 1860.	MARRIAGES.			BIRTHS.			DEATHS.		
		White.	Colored.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Roane	5,381	82	...	82	121	104	225	12	13	25
Taylor	7,463	99	9	108	162	126	288	37	27	64
Tucker	1,428	37	...	37	26	39	65	8	6	14
Tyler	6,517	94	...	94	136	135	271	31	42	73
Upshur	7,292	110	1	111	107	104	211	9	20	29
Wayne*	6,747	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Webster	1,555	16	...	16	33	17	50	3	2	5
Wetzel	6,703	47	...	47	97	65	162	21	22	43
Wirt	3,751	72	...	72	75	42	117	17	16	33
Wood	11,046	203	...	203	226	245	471	57	50	107
Wyoming	2,861	54	2	56	50	43	93	4	2	6
Total	376,688	4,272	53	4.325	5,464	5,066	10,530	1,264	1.228	2,492

*No Returns.

ERRONEOUS ASSESSMENTS AND IMPROPER CHARGES ON THE LAND BOOKS AND RELEASEMENTS OF DELINQUENT TAXES ON SAME.

In nearly every county of the State there are tracts of land charged on the assessors' books, that are improper entries. Time and patient effort will be required to correct such charges, and remedy the evils arising therefrom. It often occurs that, in making transfers of real estate from one party to another, the Assessor enters the property conveyed, on his books in the name of the grantee, without making the proper reduction from the grantor, thus leaving a double assessment upon the same property. And the Sheriff, making return of his delinquents in such cases, often returns such land on his delinquent list, instead of returning the same as an improper charge.

Under the provisions of Section 105, Chapter 118, Acts of 1863, any person having been erroneously or inequitably charged with taxes on real estate, which shall have been returned delinquent for the non-payment of the same, may apply for relief by filing with the Auditor a declaration in writing, verified by affidavit, setting forth the facts upon which he claims relief. And the Auditor is required to make, in his Annual Report, an accurate statement of all such cases upon which he may have acted, giving the grounds upon which he granted or refused relief. The following is a statement of the several declarations filed under the said provissons, and of my action thereon:

On the 12th day of December, 1866, Granville Parker, as attorney for Willard Parker, of the city of New York, filed a declaration in writing, setting forth as facts the following: That Peter Clark, of said city, through whom said Parker derived title to the portions remaining unsold, (estimated at 100,000 acres,) of the tract of land patented to Samuel M. Hopkins, July 1st, 1796, as, and for 200,000 acres, lying then in Kanawha, now in Jackson and adjoining counties, was erroneously and inequitably charged on the Commissioner's and Assessor's books of said Jackson County, for the years 1859 to 1866 inclusive, with 6179 acres of land, as having been conveyed to him by James H. Brown, Commissioner for the heirs of James T. Watson, deceased. That the same was returned delinquent for the year 1859—certified by the Auditor of Public Accounts of Virginia to the Sheriff of Jackson county in 1860, sold by said Sheriff, and bid in for the Commonwealth; that notwithstanding the law to the contrary, the same has been kept upon the Commissioner's and Assessor's books as above stated, and returned delinquent for each year; that said Clark, by deed dated March 29th, 1854, which was duly admitted to record, conveyed to William W. Campbell, of the State of New York, all of the land that was conveyed to him by James H. Brown, Commissioner as aforesaid; that said Camp-

bell, by deed dated May 5th, 1858, conveyed the said land to said Willard Parker; and that from the year 1856 to the year 1864 inclusive, it has been charged either to said Campbell or Parker; that the records show no other deed of conveyance to said Clark from the heirs of said Watson, by Commissioner James H. Brown, or any one else. As the delinquent taxes for which the sale was made, were assessed more than five years previous to the filing of the declaration, a question arose as to my jurisdiction in the case; the matter was referred to the Attorney General, who rendered his opinion that, by reason of the provisions of Chapter 81, Acts of 1865, jurisdiction was not barred by the Statute of Limitation. The said Granville Parker, having made oath to the correctness of the allegations contained in said declaration, and having filed a certified copy of the deed from said Peter Clark to said Campbell, whereby is conveyed his title to the whole of the land conveyed to him by said Brown, Commissioner, and all the records sustaining the allegations, I exonerated the taxes on said 6179 acres delinquent for the years aforesaid, in name of Peter Clark, being satisfied that the same was an improper charge.

On the 16th day of May, 1867, Robert Park, of Jackson County, filed his declaration in writing, supported by his affidavit, setting forth as facts the following: That he was charged on the land book of the Commissioner of the Revenue for Jackson County, for the year 1862, with the following named real estate, to-wit: One tract of 175 acres on Ohio River; one tract of 400 acres on waters of Sandy; one tract of 106 acres, one of 125 acres, one of 115 acres, and one of 275 acres on the Left Fork of Sandy; one tract of 87½ acres on Turkey Run, and lot No. 59 in Ravenswood, on which he paid the taxes for said year to James F. Scott, who was then Sheriff of said county, and that afterward, the same lands and lot, by some means, were placed upon said Sheriff's delinquent list for said year, and returned to the Auditor's Office at Wheeling, and was by the Auditor returned to the Sheriff of said county, and sold for the taxes of said year on the 9th day of October, 1866, and was by him bid in on behalf of the State. Said Park having produced a receipt for the taxes on said land for the said year, signed by said Scott as Sheriff, I released the taxes delinquent thereon as aforesaid, and charged the same to the account of said Scott.

On the 31st day of May, 1867, Thomas Kirk, of Jackson county, filed his declaration, supported by his affidavit, setting forth the same facts concerning a tract of 178 acres of land, charged on Commissioner's books of Jackson County, in the year 1862, as are set forth in the declaration of Robert Park; and being satisfied of the correctness thereof, I pursued the same course in reference thereto.

Michael Crow, of Jackson County, on the 11th day of July, 1867, filed a declaration setting forth substantially the same facts, concerning his land of 180 acres, charged and returned delinquent from the said county for the years 1861 and 1862; and being satisfied of the correctness of the allegations, I pursued the same course in reference thereto, as in the two former cases.

On the 11th of July, 1867, Nathan Tanner, of Ohio, filed a declaration alleging as facts the following: That he has title to a tract of 1000 acres of land in Fayette County, described as being situated on Laurel Creek, that it was sold in October, 1860, for delinquent taxes, and purchased on behalf of the Commonwealth of Virginia; that on the 18th day of September, 1866, he redeemed the said tract of land by payment into the Treasury of West Virginia, all dues on the same from the purchase aforesaid, and the taxes that would have been assessed thereon up to and including the year 1866, had no such sale taken place; that the assessor of said county made off his assessments for the years 1865 and 1866, subsequent to the date of redemption aforesaid, and entered the said tract of land on his books for both of said years, charging on the book of 1865, the back taxes from 1861 to 1864 inclusive, and the taxes so assessed were returned delinquent by the Sheriff of said county. The records sustaining said allegations, I exonerated said land from liability for said taxes, the same having been erroneously and inequitably assessed.

On the 10th day of August, 1867, M. S. Stokeley, one of the heirs of Samuel Stokeley, deceased, filed his declaration in writing, supported by his affidavit, alleging as facts the following: That in Wood county there were charged on the books of the Assessor for the years 1865 and 1866, the following tracts of land to Samuel Stokeley, viz: 1000 acres on Walker's Creek, 241 acres and 151 acres on the Little Kanawha, 102¼ acres adjoining Tanner, 320 acres on Lee Creek, 187 acres (without description), 301⅞ acres on Compton's Run, and one of 250 acres (without description); that the said lands were returned delinquent for said years; that said Stokely did not, in the years for which said taxes were assessed, own any of said land, and that they were altogether improper charges. Said M. S. Stokeley having redeemed several tracts of land in said county, which are claimed by said heirs, the aforesaid tracts being wholly disclaimed, I released the taxes thereon, and will direct the Assessor to strike the same from his books.

On the 14th day of August last, Thomas H. Wagstaff and Thomas C. Goetchies, by their Agent, Walter S. Sands, filed their declaration, sustained by affidavit, declaring as facts the following: That on the 15th day of February, 1865, Mrs. J. B. Cowen (late Miss J. B. Stuart) and John F. Cowan conveyed to Thomas H. Wagstaff, 3000 acres of land in

Wirt and Ritchie counties, but charged in the latter, being part of a tract of 3522 acres conveyed to said Miss Stuart by H. O. Middleton, as the residue of a 4000 acre tract conveyed to said Middleton by Cadwalader Ringgold; that on the 11th day of February, 1865, said Mrs. J. B. and Mr. J. F. Cowan conveyed to said Wagstaff and Thomas Goetchies an undivided moiety of 522 acres, the other portion of said 3522 acres; that for the year 1865 there were improper charges on the Assessor's books of Wirt County on said land, as follows: to Thomas H. Wagstaff, 3000 acres; Middleton, Wagstaff and Goetchies, 261 acres, and to Middleton and Wagstaff, 4000 acres. The same being also properly charged to Miss J. B. Stuart as a tract of 3622 acres (being an excess of 100 acres); that for the year 1866, there were improper charges of said land on the Assessor's books of said county, as follows, viz: to Miss J. B. Stuart, 3622 acres; H. O. Middleton and others, 261 acres, and to H. O. Middleton and others, 4000 acres; 3000 acres being properly charged to Thomas H. Wagstaff; and there should have been charged to Stuart, Wagstaff and Goetchies, 522 acres; and that all of said charges made in the years aforesaid, have been returned delinquent. The records of this office corroborating the truth of the allegations, the taxes improperly assessed to the different parties on said land was released.

On the 16th day of August, 1867, O. E. Woods and others, by their agent, Edward M. Morgan, filed their declaration, made under oath, declaring the following as facts: That in the year 1865 they obtained from Henry O. Middleton, title to a large tract of land in Braxton and Gilmer counties, principally in the former, where it is charged on the Assessor's books for the year 1866, as a tract of 62,860 acres, described as being on "Salt Lick and Steer Creek," which is the whole quantity of land to which they hold title in both counties; that 6000 acres thereof is a distinct tract of land, and not lying adjacent to the residue, and lies wholly in Braxton County; that of the residue, (56,860 acres,) more than three-fourths thereof is in said Braxton County; that said 56,860 acres was conveyed by said Middleton in one deed, but as several adjoining tracts; that a small portion of said land being situated in Gilmer County, the deed therefor was recorded as well in the latter as in the former county; that the Assessor of Gilmer County placed the same on his books for the year 1866, and assessed the same for taxation as eleven tracts of land of 5000 acres, all of which have been returned delinquent for the non-payment of taxes thereon for said year 1866, which assessment is improper and inequitable, the same land being embraced in the tract of 62,860 acres charged on the books of Braxton County for the same year, on which the taxes have been paid. In addition to the affidavit to the declaration, is filed certificates by M. P. Haymond, who surveyed said land, and James B. Boggs, late Commissioner, re-valueing

the real estate of Braxton County, both corroborating the allegations in the declaration as to the lands being principally situated in said Braxton County. Being satisfied, from the evidence and the records of this Office, that the alleged improper assessments were made, I released the taxes assessed on the several tracts in Gilmer County.

On the 28th day of August last, Edward A. Miller, of Philadelphia, by his agent, S. Howell Brown, filed his declaration, on oath, alleging as facts the following: That he has title to a tract of 576½ acres of land, lying on the Blue Ridge Mountain, in Jefferson County, which was valued by the Assessor appointed to re-value the real estate of the Commonwealth of Virginia, in 1856, at five dollars per acre, at which valuation it was assessed for taxation in subsequent years up to the years 1865 and 1866, when the Assessor placed it upon his books at a valuation of $31 per acre, and assessed taxes thereon at that rate, which were returned delinquent for the years aforesaid. Knowing that the Assessor making the assessments in said county for the years aforesaid, had not the benefit of the Commissioners' books of former years, and from the evidence, being satisfied of the truth of the allegations contained in the said declaration, I reduced the taxes to the amount that would have been assessed on said land at the value that appeared to have been fixed by the re-valuation made in 1856.

Respectfully Submitted,

J. M. McWhorter,
Auditor.